

Issuing Fictitious Checks

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I hold felony warrant, notify either

O. W. B., Supt.
B. of I.

W. A. SHAY, Sheriff.

OR

W. J. TEVO, Constable, Chino.

Issue #357 - 12/8/33
Issuing Checks Without Funds

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This woman is putting out checks on the San Bernardino National Bank, San Bernardino, in which bank she has never had an account, and signing to them one of the above name.

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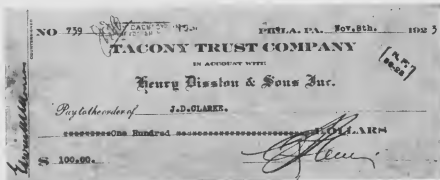
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J. D. CLARKE WILLIAM A. LUDLOW

HENRY DISSTON & SONS INC., Philadelphia STANDARD BROAD SILK WORKS, New York City

A member in Dayton, O., reports having cashed a check for a party claiming to be J. D. Clarke and purporting to have been issued by Henry Disston & Sons, Inc., as shown in the reproduction below:



In connection with above check a Cleveland member asks that members be on the lookout for one J. D. Clarke for whom they cashed a check purporting to have been drawn by Standard Broad Silk Works and stating that he is operating with a party using the name William A. Ludlow and passing checks purporting to be issued by Henry Disston & Sons.

Clarke is described by the Cleveland member as 5 ft. 10 in., slight build, dark complexion, smooth shaven, wore Derby hat, light overcoat, dark suit and presented a very good appearance. The Dayton member describes Clarke as 5 ft. 8 in. and a smooth talker.

Be on the lookout for this pair and if any such firm checks are presented, compare the handwriting with that in the reproduction and be guided accordingly.

Chicago, December 8, 1923

TRAVELERS CHECK THE HANOVER NATIONAL BANK



Be on the lookout for a party operating with travelers checks as shown in the foregoing reproduction. He has used the aliases of Dave Walton, W. C. Farwell and Lawrence Webster. A member in Detroit reports having been victimized to the extent of \$440.00 and a Chicago member reports having been victimized to the extent of \$200.00. This party is about 21 years old, slender build, was formerly a bank clerk. He has been registering from points in Texas. The Detroit member advises they have sworn out a warrant for his arrest. Be on the lookout for this party, compare writing on check and if located wire nearest office of The Phil Detective Service Co.

Chicago, December 8, 1923

SHERIFF'S OFFICE

COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA.

Bulletin #14.

San Diego, Calif.,
Dec. 28, 1923.

WANTED FOR FORGERY AND FICTITIOUS CHECKS.
(Photo Enclosed)

JACK FENTON
alias
FRED FENTON



Jack Fenton

Description as follows: American, 21 or 24 years, 5' 10", 160 pounds, light hair, blue eyes, fair complexion; may be working in a garage; was a member of the National Guard, Coast Artillery. Has been spending most of his time here in San Diego among prize fighters, and no doubt will be found among them, in your City.

WANTED FOR PASSING FRAUDULENT CHECKS.

JACK H. TRAMER (tn) alias JACK TAYLOR

alias CLYDE TOWNER.

The following described man is wanted for passing fraudulent checks in this city. A felony warrant has been issued on complaint of the American Bank, of this city.

DESCRIPTION

HAIR.....Black, brushed back BUILD.....Medium
EYESBrown BEARDNone
HEIGHT5'10 3/4" NATIVITYAmerican
WEIGHT165 OCCUPATION....Student
AGE19 (24) COMPLEXION ...Light

MARKS:- Both little fingers short and deformed, writes with left hand - one ear larger than the other. Is a pool shark.

DRESSED:- When last seen wore dark suit with small stripes, checked tweed overcoat, wears either hat or cap. Was sweetheart, ISABELLE WARREN, 5613 Huntington Avenue, Fresno, California.

PROPERTY OBTAINED:

1. MONEY \$100.00

HOW OPERANDI:

Crime Issuing fraudulent check.
Property attacked Bank

How attacked Deposited fraudulent check
Means of attack Written check drawn on the
Fresno Branch, Bank of Italy, Fresno, Calif.

Dated 12-15-23, payable to Jack Taylor, in
amount \$100.00, signed Mrs. J. B. Taylor,
Endorsed JACK TAYLOR, 2419 Du Pont Avenue, Ber

Time of attack 8 PM, 1-3-24.
Object of attack Money.

REMARK:- Deposits check, drawn against. Claims to be studied.

Any information concerning the above described man will be appreciated. If located, arrest, hold, and notify the undersigned and the officer will be sent to return him to this city. We hold felony warrant.

C. D. Jones, Chief of Police,
San Diego, California.

Bulletin #16.

San Diego, California,
January 30, 1924.

BAD CHECKS.

ROBERT C. KAIL.

Description as follows: 30 or 35 years of age, Height, 5' 6", 135 pounds, dark eyes, dark hair Sallow complexion; is a barber by occupation. He was driving a red FORD BUG, had a very nice top. License number 823-574, (1923 license); has a woman with him whom he claims to be his wife, about 19 years of age, 5' 6", 130 pounds; has very light, bobbed hair; light gray eyes, very light complexion, think she is a Scandinavian.

This man put over several checks here and we are very anxious to apprehend him.

WILLIAM A. CHAPMAN.

BAD CHECKS.

Description as follows: 37 or 40 years of age; Height, 5' 11"; Weight, 165 pounds, blue eyes, dark hair, turning gray at temples, Florid complexion; wears glasses.

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ALFRED SANDOVAL, JR.

Description as follows: Age, 24 years; Height, 5' 11", 135 pounds, brown eyes, light hair, light complexion; wears glasses; upper front teeth out and part of upper jaw gone, account of accident and operation; was wearing a grey suit, grey overcoat and a grey hat. Think he was driving a Dodge business Coupe. This man always has a pronounced smile when talking to any one. We are very anxious to apprehend this man.

I hold Felony Warrants for all the above described parties. Kindly arrest, notify me and I will send officer for them.

Please cancel our Bulletin #14, Jack Winton arrested.

JAMES C. BYERS, Sheriff.

J.H.B. Supt.
B. of I.

Wanted for Forgery and Embezzlement



Frederick A. McCullough

FREDERICK A. McCULLOUGH

Description:

Age, about 35 years; height, about 5 feet 11 inches; weight, about 170 pounds; dark hair mixed with gray, also gray spot of hair about 2½ inches in diameter on top of head; clean shaven, but may grow mustache; medium build.

Frederick A. McCullough, whose photograph, description and specimen of handwriting appears above, was until recently a practicing Attorney-at-Law at Somerville, New Jersey. He was a member of the New Jersey Assembly in 1922 and 1923. He is charged with having **Embezzled** various large sums of money belonging to his clients and with having **Forged** the name of the County Clerk of Somerset County, and others, to different legal documents.

Police and other authorities are requested to keep a careful watch for this man, as he is wanted to answer to a number of Indictments for **Forgery and Embezzlement**.

If located, arrest, hold and wire, at our expense, all information to

GEORGE D. TOTTEN

SOMERVILLE, NEW JERSEY

January, 1924.

Chief of County Detectives

Circular No. 296

January 19, 1924

Series 1923-24

(THIS CIRCULAR SHOULD BE INSERTED IN C. B. A. BINDER FOR REFERENCE)

Warning! Read and Protect Yourself Against These Worthless Check Swindlers

To the Cashier of the Bank Addressed:

Pseudo-Priest With Bogus Checks

"Father" Fitzgerald has arrived in California from the East. He is a worthless check specialist, and his plans are to get as many banks and individuals as possible in California to cash his paper. Said paper is the "bunk."

He is reported to carry as identification forged letter from the Bishop of the Diocese of Chicago, and certificates authorizing use of half fare rate for clergy on railroads, and other means of identification.

He has armed himself with check forms of California banks. A bank in Southern California reports that it cashed a check for \$50 for him, drawn to Rev. James Fitzgerald and signed E. M. Ryan, Pastor. This check "Father" Fitzgerald said was a Christmas present to him. He also presented the Grant Hotel, San Diego, with a similar \$50 souvenir.

This man may use any good Irish name in putting over his checks. We know that in the East he operated for a while under the name of "Father" Murphy. The character he assumes is designed to disarm suspicion. He has been successful for some time and no doubt will try to "clean up" in California. Watch out for him.

He is described as six feet tall; dark complexion; dark eyes; florid cheeks; 180 pounds; smooth shaven; fluent talker; good address.

The Woman Who Claims to Have Just Moved to Your City

If you haven't yet received a visit from the middle-aged, honest-looking woman who claims to have just moved to your town and rented a home, you can expect her. After an absence of over half a year she has returned to California. We issued two circulars

on her when she was here before—Circular No. 268, November 17, 1922, and Circular No. 276, March 31, 1923 (page two)—but her appearance was so disarming that the warnings were not recalled until she had left the bank. Keep in mind her method and description.

This is the way she works her swindle: On arriving in town she will arrange to rent a house or furnished rooms. She obtains name of her landlord and bank at which he transacts his business, then calls at the bank, where she presents a check purporting to be issued by her husband in her favor. She states that she has just arrived in town and has rented a home, giving her landlord as reference; that her husband will join her and as soon as he arrives they will transfer their bank account. Her story is told so convincingly and her appearance fits it so well that we know of no instance in which her bogus paper has been refused.

There are these characteristics about her checks: The writing on face is always bold and large, and the endorsement in a smaller, neat hand. The checks are for even amounts—\$30, \$35 or \$40. She uses a different name with each operation.

She is described as forty to forty-five years of age; five feet five inches; 140 to 150 pounds; brown hair; brown eyes, medium complexion; face slightly wrinkled; appearance of plain, respectable, married woman.

Thirty and 30.00
Martha E. Miller
428 Laurel

Issued by Order

PROTECTIVE COMMITTEE, CALIFORNIA BANKERS ASSOCIATION

FREDERICK H. COLBURN, Secretary

621 North 1st St., San Francisco

627 April 24, 1924

GEORGE D. TOTTEN

SOMERVILLE, NEW JERSEY

January, 1924.

Chief of County Detectives



Issuing Fictitious Checks

DR. CHARLES F. MAR-
TEN, born in Brixton, Eng-
land, of English and French
Parentage, age 45 to 50
years, height 5 feet 4 or 5
inches, Weight about 180
pounds, heavy set, gray hair, bald
spot on top of head, full face,
ruddy complexion, blue eyes.

I hold Felony Warrant. Notify

O. W. B., Supt.
B. of I.

W. A. SHAY, Sheriff
San Berdo, Cal. 2/4/23

Wanted For Embezzlement and Issuing Fictious Checks

Fallon, Nevada, December 4, 1923.

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FRANK J. SEIFERT, age 35, height 6 feet 3 3/4 inches, weight 165 pounds,
complexion fair, light brown hair, gray or blue eyes, poor teeth—several missing,
nativity, American with slight southern accent, thin face and prominent nose, looks
like typical Irishman, so believe the name to be assumed; occupation, auto mechan-
ic and salesman. Left wrist has been broken and is noticeably deformed. Was
dressed in gray suit, tan oxfords, new dark overcoat with fur collar, and light cap.

This fellow left here on the night of December 2nd accompanied by the fol-
lowing described woman who claims to be his wife:

Age 25, height 5 feet 3 1/2 inches, weight 105, hair dark red but believe it was
dyed and that she is a natural brunette, black eyes, fair complexion, nativity Span-
ish, talks the language fluently. She was dressed in corduroy knickerbockers, tan
oxfords and wore a long cape. Very refined, lover of music. Feel certain that
her dress was a disguise and that if apprehended with him she will be of the brunette
type, attractively gowned.

Two tickets were purchased from this point, one to Sacramento and the other
to San Francisco. Peace officers make every effort to apprehend this fellow, as he
is a dangerous crook. I hold felony warrant for him. Arrest, hold and wire my
expense.

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Feb 25-24
Long Beach, Cal.
Bate 567

LYONE WILSON (female)
24 years of age,
5 feet 6 inches,
125 pounds,
Black, bobbed hair,
Black eyes,
Dark complexion,
Uses badge and lip stick.
Is of the Osage Indian tribe and drives a large touring car.
Said to be a heavy drinker and she might be found around oil fields.
This woman is wanted for passing checks to which she has forged name
of her sister.

Rock Island, Jan. 9th, 1924.

LIBERAL REWARD

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For the arrest of Paul Hirschmuller, wanted on the charge of forcery
and falsely impersonating another. Age 40 years, height five feet eight
inches, weight about 210 pounds, partly bald, otherwise hair of golden
color mixed with gray, blue eyes, puffy underneath, reddish complexion.
Wore a cap. Is a machinist by trade and will be found working in some
machine shop or railroad shop. Is married and has two small children,
two sons, three and four years of age. Has a habit of borrowing money
from strangers. In case this man is located, arrested and notified,
a reward of \$1000 will be paid.

CHAS. W. SEHNERT,
Chief of Police.

Bureau of Identification. (Continued)

Frank E. KELLOGG-FICTITIOUS CHECKS. January 15th, 1924.

Black hair, 5' 4, 120, 33 or 34 years. Case A-6049
plexion, two upper front teeth protrude, combs hair
pompadour and is greying at temples. Is a snice
clerk by occupation, having worked here about one
week. Gave a fictitious check for \$30.00, securing
\$25.00. Is said to be on probation from San Fran-
cisco now on a cash charge.

Cancelled

10/8/24

Bulletin #16.

San Diego, California,
January 30, 1924.BAD CHECKS.ROBERT C. KALL.

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woman with him whom he claims to be his wife, about
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coat and a grey hat. Think he was driving a Dodge
business Coupe. This man always has a pronounced
smile when talking to any one. We are very anxious
to apprehend this man.

I hold Felony Warrants for all the above described
parties. Kindly arrest, notify me and I will send officer for them.

Please cancel our Bulletin #14, Jack Fenton arrested.

JAMES C. BYERS, Sheriff.

Identified in RE: GEORGE STUART ELLIS, alias Lt. C. F. Ellis
1/3/24
On November 16, 1923, the above subject deposited a worth-
less check for \$1000 on the Bank of Toronto, Canada, at the
Equitable Trust Co., Baltimore, Md., passed worthless checks on
two clothing concerns, and endorsed redeem a return trip
ticket to Europe at the office of the Cunard Steamship Company.
He represented himself to be a British secret Service Agent and
a lieutenant of the Canadian Mounted Police. He presented a
lease for property in Canada and a passport and carries a printed
card reading "Capt. G. Stuart Ellis, A & S Highlanders, The
Armories, Hamilton". He has since passed bad checks at Richmond,
Va., Nov. 19, Norfolk, Va., Nov. 21, and New London, Conn.,
Nov. 30. On November 19, 1923, Major M. B. Woods, through to
be identical with Ellis, endeavored to obtain money from the
British Consulate at Savannah, Ga.

Completed 1/9/24
Age - 35
Hgt. - 5-9
Wgt. - about 135
Description (No photo available)
Hair - dark, cut close
Build - slender
Face - thin

Has jerky manner; head is high and round at top with long
slope to forehead; has a large soft spot where bone is missing
just back from left forehead; has pleasant manner and English
accent (not Cockney); wore shabby light suit and belted coat.
Make every effort to locate this man, request the coopera-
tion of all peace officers, officers of banks, British consuls
and Immigration offices in your district, and if arrested, file
this Bureau at once.

Very truly yours,
Wm. J. Burns,
Director.

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BUREAU OF IDENTIFICATION.
 Sheriff's Office.
 Santa Ana, Calif.

Cir. B-256.

Jan. 11, 1924.

W A N T E D 20.

on a Felony Warrant charging "FORGERY"
 C. R. ADDISON, true name C. R. BAKER.

American
 age: 27 to 30 yrs.
 hgt.: 5ft8 to 9"
 wgt.: 130 to 140 Lbs.
 build slender
 hair: brown; eyes brown
 compl.: ruddy
 occ: Lab.

Marks and Scars: cut scar one side of face, starting from nose.

Forged his employers name to a \$ 40.00
 check and cashed same. Is supposed to be a member of the K.P's.

Wanted on a Felony Warrant charging "Fict. Checks" 21.

E. M. ANDERSON, alias M. A. MURPHY,
 T. A. MURPHY.

American
 age: 27 to 30 yrs.
 hgt.: 5ft7" to 8"
 wgt.: 140 to 150 Lbs.
 build medium
 hair: brown; eyes brown
 compl.: med.; smooth shaven
 occ: Lab.

This bird attempts to be fancy, uses Check Protactograph and type-
 writer. Signes the Checks "Reed and Murphy. By: M. A. Murphy or
 T. A. Murphy. Has absolutely no trouble in getting his checks
 cashed.

If either one of these men are arrested, please notify me at once
 will send for them.

By: H. J. Zabel.
 Supt. Bu. of Ident.

SAM JERNIGAN.
 Sheriff.

BUREAU of IDENTIFICATION.
 Police Department---Long Beach, Calif.
 Bulletin #564. Febr. 11, 1924.

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Arrest, I hold Felony Warrant, charging Passing Fictitious
Checks, for the following described party:

Ed. W. Hazen,
 37 years of age;
 5 feet 2 inches,
 150 pounds,
 Dark hair,
 Dark eyes,
 Sallow complexion,
 Smooth shaven.

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Cancelled 7/9/27

I hold two Felony Warrants for this fellow, "No Fund Checks."

Makes purchases at stores, generally for small amount, tender-
 ing check for larger amount than purchase, getting difference in
 cash.

Any information regarding above party you may have, advise
 me.

(Fridley-Bogus Checks)

Fred B. Kutz, Supt.,
 Bureau of Identification.

Respectfully,

J. S. Yancy,
 Chief of Police,
 Long Beach, California.

Circular No. 151.

24.
 Arrest for Issuing Fictitious Checks.

CUS T. HART.

Age about 27 years; height, 5 feet, 10 inches; weight about 165 pounds; complexion, dark.
 Was accompanied by another man about same age and description, but with lighter complexion.
 Both were traveling in a Ford Touring car, License 96728.
 I hold felony warrant.

San Jose 10/15/23.

GEORGE W. LYLE, Sheriff
 San Jose, Cal.

No. 3

23
 Wanted for Passing Bad Checks.

No. 144. C. Waters, age about 34 years, height about 5 feet 6 inches, weight
 about 150 lbs., dark complexion, fairly good looking, wearing top lined shoes,
 wearing cap, dark shirt, dark trousers, dark socks, dark shoes, using
 Decker-Jewett Bank checks of Marysville, heavy small article of gold, \$400 or
 \$400 check for name, receiving change for balance, usually check for \$400 or
 \$400.

No. 145. John Snick, aged about 23 years, height about 5 feet 8 inches, weight
 about 155 lbs., dark complexion, wearing dark leather leggings;
 used First National Bank check, Rippon, San Joaquin County.

CHARLES J. MCCOY, Sheriff.

Yuba County, California.

Arrest, I hold felony warrant.

JAMES C. BYRDS, Sheriff.

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ARREST for FELONY

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Cancelled 2/11/24
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BUCKLEY F. DUANE, alias

Harry St. Vrain, alias Richard

St. Urain, true name Harry N.

Woodington, an American,

born in Philadelphia, Penn., age

39 years, height 5 feet 10 in-

ches, weight 143 pounds, smooth

shaven, high cheek bones, dark brown

hair combed straight back, grey-green

eyes, medium complexion, tattoo

scroll with name Millie on lower inner

left arm, has some gold teeth in back

part of mouth.

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I hold Felony Warrant; notify

O. W. B., Supt.
San Berdo W. A. SHAY, Sheriff.

Card 880

Riverside, California, February 6, 1924.

25 Wanted for Forgery

C. G. Lowman, American, Age 32 years, Height five feet five or six inches, Weight 135 to 140 pounds, slender build, brown hair, blue eyes, smooth face and light complexion.

Lowman is a Solicitor for printing houses, he smokes cigarettes and has a nervous appearance, and gets his mail at General Delivery. Any information that will lead to his arrest will be greatly appreciated.

SAM RYAN, Sheriff
Riverside County, Riverside, California.

Issuing Fictitious Checks

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W. S. CARVELL, American, age about 40 years, height 5 feet 10 or 11 inches, weight 170 to 175 pounds, dark complexion, chin slightly pox marked, dark hair. Was formerly Chief of Fire Department at National City, San Diego County.

Is putting out checks drawn on the Southern Trust and Commercial Bank of National City.

I hold felony warrant, notify

O. W. B., Supt.
B. of I.

Rec # 373

W. A. SHAY, Sheriff.

San Berdo 2/11/24

ARREST for FELONY

Arrest, I hold Warrants in each of the cases mentioned below:

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12/13/23 - - - - - 29

CHAS. L. ROBERTS, (Passing Bogus Checks).
 6 feet in height,
 About 165 pounds,
 This is all of the description obtainable of this fellow.

30 - - - - -
R. J. ALDER, (Passing Bogus Checks).
 30 years of age,
 5 feet 7 inches,
 160 pounds,
 Blonde hair,
 Blue eyes,
 Fair complexion, smooth shaven.

This fellow sets up business as a Loan Agent for persons who are in need of money. Victim gives check to ALDER for payment of his services in obtaining loan, victim to call in a few days to obtain his loan; when he returns, ALDER informs him that he cannot get loan and returns his payment with a check, which proves to be worthless.

31 - - - - -
M. L. BOXLEY, (Passing Bogus Checks).
 6 feet 1 inch,
 200 pounds,
 Grey hair,
 Grey eyes,
 Florid complexion, smooth shaven.

32 - - - - -
RAY MORGAN, (Passing Bogus Checks).
 21 years of age,
 5 feet 10 inches,
 140 pounds,
 Dark hair,
 Rather pale complexion, smooth shaven.
 Wore dark suit of clothing, Federa hat.

Any information that you may be able to furnish me relative to either of the above described parties will be greatly appreciated.

(Fridley--Bad Checks)

Respectfully yours,

F. B. Kutz, Supt.,
 Bureau of Identification.

C. F. Robberson,
 Acting Chief of Police,
 Long Beach, California.

Exc. 361.
12/13/23
Issuing Check With No Funds

32 W. G. ALLEN, age about 27 years, height about 5 feet 7 inches, weight about 150 pounds, smooth shaven, dark complexion, brown eyes, black hair, which he parts on left side, rather prominent nose, talks with a Southern accent, claims to be a native of Roanoke, Virginia. Dressed in a dark blue mixed wool suit, brown soft hat, brown shoes, blue shirt with small flowers, brown necktie.

Putting out customer's drafts on the First National Bank of Los Angeles, and signing to them W. G. Allen.

I hold Felony Warrant; notify
 O. W. B., Supt.
 B. of I. *San Bern.* W. A. SHAY, Sheriff

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A. B. Shuttles
Chief of Police

BUREAU of IDENTIFICATION.
Police Department--Long Beach, Calif.
Bulletin #563.

DANGEROUS

WARNING TO ALL SHERIFFS, CHIEFS OF POLICE, CHAMBERS OF COMMERCE,
COMMERCIAL ORGANIZATIONS, BUSINESS MEN AND NEWS PAPERS.

We have just received written statements from merchants that J. E. Alexander, (whose photo appears herein) is in the Western Territory, and may appear in your vicinity using the American Railway Journal to solicit advertising for a North American Railway Journal, a publication not known to us, misleading the merchants to believe it is the American Railway Journal.

J. E. Alexander was discharged August 7, 1923, from the American Railway Journal for misrepresenting, and stealing from the merchants, and the American Railway Journal, also misleading the Railroad Men.

We have in our possession a check made payable to the American R. R. Journal, and was endorsed and cashed by J. E. Alexander, and signed No. American Railway Journal. Should this man (Alexander) call on you or the business men in your city with our Journal, or any representations pertaining thereto, wire us at our expense, and we will prosecute him to the fullest extent of the law. In the good name of this publication, and the Railway Men we will appreciate it if you will give this the widest publicity.

We are informed he is using (Alias) Edwards in endorsing checks. Any information you may have regarding this man or checks cashed by him, made out payable to the American Railway Journal, or any other misrepresentations he has made, please forward to R. A. Edwards, President, American Railway Journal, 303-4 Thorpe Building, Los Angeles, Calif.



J. E. Alexander

AMERICAN RAILWAY JOURNAL

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WARNING CONFIDENTIAL

Blank U.S. Marine Corps checks Nos. 4221 to 4226 inclusive, Symbol No. 83850, of J. Sherry, disbursing officer, drawn on the Treasurer of the United States, are reported stolen from Marine Barracks, San Diego, Cal.

Suspect Edward Harry Helms on 29 years of age 5'9"; 160 lb; brown hair; blue eyes; has been missing from his post of duty since the morning of February 4, 1924. Lewis Layton, companion of Helms, is also missing.

Should one of these checks be presented please call the nearest officer and promptly notify this office and advise.

THOMAS M. FOSTER
Agent in Charge.

Telephone Market 4768.

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STOLEN U. S. TREASURY CHECKS

The United States Secret Service advise us that blank checks of the U. S. Treasury, G. D. Feltz, Disbursing Officer, symbol No. 57051 serial Nos. 1491 to 1495, inclusive, were stolen from the U. S. Steamer Nitro at the Navy Yard, Puget Sound, Wash., two of which were filled out and cashed at Seattle, Wash., December 27, which bore Nos. 1493 and 1495, leaving three to be accounted for. Description of forger: Fileno Dineau; Filipino; Yeoman; 24 years; 5 feet 7 inches; 120 pounds; scar back right hand; tattoo, "Apprentice U.S. Navy. 1920" right forearm; many gold teeth in front of mouth.

Should any one present these checks, detain him and notify your local authorities, requesting them to get in touch with the nearest officer of the U. S. Secret Service.

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LOST CHECK, \$1,000

Dividend Check No. 43, payable to Endora M. Glover, dated December 15, 1923, in amount \$1,000, drawn by Attec Land & Cattle Company on banking company J. & W. Seligman & Company, of New York, was lost December 24 in San Francisco.

This check may fall into the hands of a crook. Watch carefully for it. The usual way such checks are negotiated is through opening an account in the name of the payee, depositing the check in part or in total, and drawing against it as soon as permitted.

Payment has been stopped on this check at the bank on which drawn.

Issued by Order of Protective Committee.
CALIFORNIA BANKERS ASSOCIATION.
H. Colburn, Secretary.

Issuing Checks Without Sufficient Funds

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MRS. VERA M. PERCE, alias Vera M. Noel, American - age 45 to 50 years, height about 5 feet 7, weight 150 to 160 pounds, dark hair, dark complexion, face pitted, some from smallpox.

Is putting out checks on the Citizen's Trust and Savings Bank, Los Angeles, California and signing to them name Vera M. Perce and Vera M. Noel.

I hold felony warrant. Arrest and notify

O. W. B., Supt.
B. of I.

W. A. SHAY, Sheriff.

San Berdo, Cal.
2/11/24

WANTED FOR BUN CHECK

TAM MARINO, an Italian, 5 ft. 6 or 7 in., 25 years old, dark complexion, long thin face, black eyes, dark hair, dark mustache, dark beard, I hold felony warrant for above man. Arrest and notify me at my expense.

T. A. MACK, Sheriff,
Merced Co., Calif.

Feb. 11th, 1924. Conf # 165

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IDENTIFICATION ORDER
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TO ALL SPECIAL AGENTS IN CHARGE:

IN RE: ELMER S. GILBERT
DESERTER FROM NAVY

42. March 3, 1924.
Caught 2/27/24

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DESCRIPTION
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Hgt.-5-7 1/2
Wgt.-160
Hair-lt.brown

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Eyes - blue
Complex.-ruddy
Neat dresser
Scar center forehead

Subject's mother is at present residing at 1213 Virginia Ave., Cleveland, Ohio. Gilbert is very friendly with one James Cavanaugh, Manassquan, N.J. He (subject) was married in July, 1923, at Seattle, Wash.

Make every effort to locate this man, request the cooperation of all peace officers in your district, and if arrested, wire this Bureau at once.

Very truly yours,
W. J. BURNS,
Director.

CHIEF'S OFFICE *See A. Bull* Tuesday, December 18, 1923ARREST FOR FORGERY
Warrant issued

2927 N. C. DOWNER, alias W. J. Evans, alias W. J. Neergard, Am 59 yrs., 5 ft. 8 in., 190 lbs., dark grayish hair. Occupation, painter. Finger-prints: 10/6-U-U-00/00.

Scar on point ring finger, scar upper lip left, dim scar lower lip left cheek, one mole right cheek, long scar back of left ear. This man is charged with passing 30 worthless checks in Los Angeles vicinity. Is a two-time loser. Report any information to the Bureau for Swant and Ryan, Wiltshire Station.

CHIEF'S OFFICE

Wednesday, December 26, 1923

ARREST FOR FELONY
Warrants issued

2942 VITO BERNARDINO, alias Bernardino, alias Berdno, alias Bernardino. Italian, age 29 yrs., hgt. 5 ft. 4 in., wgt. 127 lbs., brown eyes, dark hair and complexion. Finger-prints: 5/19-U-00/M-18/18. JOHN COLATORTI, Italian, 21 yrs., 5 ft. 2 in., 125 lbs., black eyes, dark hair and complexion. Wore dark suit and cap. Bernardino and Colatorti are wanted for passing fictitious checks. When last seen were driving a 1920 model, Chevrolet touring car. Constable Chas. R. Thomas holds warrant, or notify our Detective Bureau. (J. T. W.)

Marysville Calif Feb 14 1924.

Chief of Police

Sacramento.

Wanted for passing bad checks name A C Waters age

about thirty five smooth shaven fairly good looking height about five feet six inches weight about one hundred sixty pounds dressed in high top lace boots cap dark shirt no coat appearance of a laboring man using Decker Jewett Bank checks of Marysville.

Chas. J. McCoy

Sheriff

Corys Dicks - Fisher

WARNING CONFIDENTIAL

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Snupoot Howard Harry Holsen; 29 years of age; 5'9"; 164 lb; brown hair; blue eyes; has been missing from his post of duty since the morning of February 6, 1924. Lewis Layman, companion of Holsen, is also missing.

Should one of these checks be presented please call the nearest officer and promptly notify this office and oblige.

THOMAS H. FOSTER
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Telephone Market 4766.

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CHIEF'S OFFICE

Wednesday, December 26, 1923

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CLASSES OF SERVICE

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Clarence D. Hill alias Clarence D. Held
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C. D. Hoskins alias H. S. Hill



Be on the lookout for party as shown in the accompanying photo. He is reported by Hotel Hamilton, Paterson, N. J., as having victimized them by means of checks drawn on Montclair Essex Trust Co., Montclair, New Jersey, which were returned marked "No Account."

He is described as 47 years old, 5 ft. 11 in. tall, slender build, weight about 160 lbs., rather dark small mustache, prominent nose, very deep voice, hair slightly gray at temples, good dresser, domineering talker and at times wears glasses with tortoise shell rims. He smokes cigarettes to excess, likes to drink and is fond of women and wild parties.

If located wire Chief of Police, Paterson, N. J., or nearest office of The Thiel Detective Service Company.

Chicago, December 8, 1933

BUREAU of IDENTIFICATION.
Police Department---Long Beach, Calif.
Bulletin #571. Mar. 13th, 1924.

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I hold Felony Warrants for the following described and ask for their arrest and detention until an officer of this Department can arrive and take them into custody:-

J. DELTWILER

45 years of age,
5 feet 9 inches,
220 pounds,
Dark brown hair, greying,
Dark eyes,
Dark complexion,
Smooth shaven,
Hands very dark, white spots on them.

Crime: Passing Bogus Checks,
Property Attacked: Druggist,
How Attacked: No Fund Checks,
Object of Attack: Cash.

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It appears that this fellow passed numerous checks in this city and we ask that every endeavor be made to cause his apprehension.



W. S. CARVELL, American, about 31 years, 5 ft. 7 in., 140 to 145 lbs., sandy red hair, gray-blue eyes. Usually dressed in gray tweed suit or serge suit, gray sweater vest, gray cap. Very neat in appearance. An ex-aviator, known as "Daredevil Red." Does stunt work in the lectures, changing from one plane to another. Has with him a young girl about 16 years old, whom he claims is his wife. Also has with him a white bull dog.

This man secured on a check from bank in which he had no funds the following described car. 1924 Model Moon coupe, 1924 license 56118, engine number 34059, marine blue color, hydraulic brakes, balloon tires.

This department holds felony warrant, charging issuing a check without funds, and will extradite. Hold man and car. Notify Detective Bureau.

Issuing Fictitious Checks

W. S. CARVELL, American, age about 40 years, height 5 feet 10 or 11 inches, weight 170 to 175 pounds, dark complexion, chin slightly pox marked, dark hair. Was formerly Chief of Fire Department at National City, San Diego County.

Is putting out checks drawn on the Southern Trust and Commercial Bank of National City.

I hold felony warrant, notify

W. B. Supt.
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W. A. SHAY, Sheriff.

San Bern Co., Calif.
2/17/24. Circulation 373

REWARD Wanted for Forgery and False Pretense

The photo hereon reproduced is a good likeness of C. F. Milliken, for whom I hold a warrant charging him with "False Pretense."

Description: White man, neat dresser, weighs 240 lbs. about 48 years old, about 5 ft. 11 in. tall. Left arm has been amputated, and usually tucks sleeve in coat pocket, sometimes wears an artificial arm with sleeve in coat pocket.

The offenses committed occurred some time ago and efforts have been made privately to locate the man before aid was sought from the local police department. Information was secured which seems to be reliable, that Milliken is touring and that during the first part of the present month he was in the State of Missouri, driving a Nash Roadster, red body and khaki top, bearing a Pennsylvania license No. 400,265.

Is said to be accompanied by a woman other than his wife. Milliken passes as a Salesman for Securities and generally mentions the Tri-State Security Company when talking to a prospect. The Ohio Bankers Association, Huntington Bank Bldg., this city are very anxious that this man be apprehended on the forgery charge and a prominent Broker of this city on the false pretense charge.

Both crimes are felonies in the State of Ohio and if located, arrest hold and wire and an officer will be sent for his return to this city for prosecution.

H. E. FRENCH,
Chief of Police

Columbus, Ohio, March 10, 1924



C. F. MILLIKEN

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-: FIFTY DOLLARS REWARD :-

AMERICAN RAILWAY EXPRESS COMPANY

will pay the above reward for the arrest and conviction of the person or persons who, on Dec. 11th, 1923, burglarized the office of the AMERICAN RAILWAY EXPRESS CO. at DECOTO, CALIF. obtaining:

BLANK AMERICAN EXPRESS MONEY ORDERS
NOS. E-6391591-99

C.O.D. MONEY ORDERS
NOS. G-6835685-99

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List as H.B. Hodges

Todate none of the C.O.D. money orders have been presented for encashment. These C.O.D. money orders may be for any amount up to \$100.00.

Domestic Money Orders, i.e., Nos. E-6391591 were all cashed in San Francisco and vicinity on Dec. 12th, 1923, all being made payable to H. B. HODGES. Remitter - PHIL JACKSON or CHAS. JACKSON, Countersigned - "JAS" FOX, Agent, Bioga, Texas.

Order E-6391598 was cashed with ROOS BROS. SAN FRANCISCO, in payment for an overcoat which he wore out of the store. The Overcoat is a light brown tweed mixture with a check effect, size 39, small collar, no belt, label "ROOS BROS. INC." sewed on inside pocket.

Order E-6391599 was given to Schwabacher Frey & Co., San Francisco in payment for a dark brown Gladstone handbag with dark brass fittings.

Order E-6391596 was given in payment for a pair of brown lace shoes purchased from the Economy Shoe Store, 1013 Market St.

He carried in his pocket letters addressed to H. B. HODGES, 1600 Polk Street, San Francisco, giving this as his address.

He is described about as follows:-

Age - - - - - 35 to 40 years.
Height - - - - - 5 ft. 7 or 8 in.
Weight - - - - - 135 to 155 lbs.
Complexion - - - - - dark
Eyes - - - - - brown
Neat dresser. Wore purple knitted
muffler. Affable and congenial
disposition.

Wire or write information to any of the undersigned.

A. GAIN.

He hold warrants for the following described men on a charge of issuing and passing a large amount of forged pay'roll checks of the "LABORING MINING CORPORATION" of this City, On the 15th inst.

APPRC

The checks which they used were printed in Ogden Utah, by the Neuteboom Printing Co. These were ordered by a person who used the name of C. E. Dailey. These checks were sent to this man by registered mail, C.O.D. On December 12th, Thornton Hotel Butte Mont.

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C. E. Dailey, alias J. C. Kennedy, is described as age 35, Height 5 feet 11 in, eight 160 to 170, sleepy looking chap. Every thing goes to show that this man issued the checks and had others to pass them. *Caught 12/12/23.*

There was three Italians that was connected with him in the deal.

No-1-7. Alberton age about 30, Height 5 feet 5 or 6 in, weight 160, Dark complected round face.

No-2- Tom Morell age 38 to 40, Height 5 feet 9 in, weight 180 to 190, red face looks like a working man.

There was another Italian with them but we can not give any description of him.

I will appreciate an effort by Your Department in trying to locate these men for us, Thanking You in advance for Your kindness in this matter. I am very truly.

Butte Mont.
12/19/23.

J. J. Murphy
Chief of Police

S. Q. # 39390.

WANTED FOR ISSUING CHECKS WITHOUT FUNDS.

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I hold felony warrant for one C. S. Willets alias T. M. Wilson. This man registered at a hotel in our city under the name of T. M. Wilson when his wife was with him; and next day he came in and said they were going to stay over and the hotel man asked to register again and he signed by the name of Willets. He put over a check in this city on a jeweler by the name of J. B. Joseph for \$105 on Feb. 7th., by purchasing a diamond with large setting and 1 wedding ring with two or three chip diamonds set in it and 1 wrist watch Hampden make, movement number as follows: No. 3005385, case No. 11102273 green 14 karat gold, jewelers register No. 1886. Mr. Joseph would not cash check until indorsed by some one who knew C. S. Willets and J. D. Flatley indorsed the check. C. S. Willets is described as follows: about 6 ft. tall, 180 lbs. in weight, about 27 to 30 years of age, having light or reddish hair that shows it has been dyed, has a Swedish appearance with a very thin face, gray eyes with large pupils, high bridge nose, large mouth and a sallow complexion. He claims to be a concession man and to hold a contract for a concession at Venice for the guessing of one's weight, also says that he had a concession at Ocean Park but was burned out and got \$800 in insurance. Flatley says this is why he indorsed the check. This man was wearing a brown suit with red pencil stripes, brown hat also overcoat, medium gray, invisible navy blue box plaid worked in coat: label inside of coat reading, "Radio Clothes Guaranteed". This man has his wife with him who is described as follows:—short, heavy-set, light complexion, dark brown hair, about 5ft., 6in. tall, weighing about 175 lbs., supposed to be living in Oakland or Alameda and going by the name of Mrs Elvilda Keith.

ARREST AND WIRE ME MY EXPENSE

O. M. HISERMAN,
Chief of Police

No. 4096

Pay to the order of *R. E. Henry*

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Security Savings Bank

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DEPARTMENT
Bureau of Identification
Harvey M. DODSON—FICTITIOUS
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R. E. HENRY
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FICTITIOUS CHECKS
Brown hair, 5-6, 150, 30 to 35 years, light complexion. Talks French fluently. This man is a check counter, numbering from 4093 to 4100, from Theodore Payne & Co., printers of this city, and cashed same signing the checks Samuel JAMES, payable to R. E. Henry. This man buys perfumes, jewelry and shoes and tries to get balance in cash. Photo of check attached. Same as Cecil F. Wade, wanted Pasadena.

Photo attached. 844-14515

FICTITIOUS CHECKS Case-7245
Black hair, blue eyes, 5-7, 135, 21 years. F. P. C. #5571. Also wanted for checks at Oakland, Cal. This man has several small checks out here. Photo attached.

FICTITIOUS CHECKS Case A-7570
Black & gray hair, 5-7, 15-5, 30 years. Dark complexion. Represented himself to be a canvas inspector for the government, which is false. Paid a deposit on a case under the name of Florence O'DONNELL. This man had credit for a week at a small grocery running up a bill of \$8.77, paid the bill with a bad check for \$25.00, and received the balance in cash. Check drawn on the San Diego Savings Bank, signed M. R. McCool.

FICTITIOUS CHECKS Case A-7980
Gray hair, brown eyes, 5-4, 130, 40 years. Dark complexion. Wore khaki hat & coat and brown wool shirt. Gave a check for \$3.75 drawn on the First Trust & Savings Bank of this city, signed Costello, in favor of Jas. WARREN. This check presented for one week board in advance at a small outlying restaurant and received \$23.25 in change. His "cells" are still waiting for him.

E. H. STEVENS
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Cancelled per notice 1/15/25

JAMES WARREN
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C. CAIN,
Special Agent in Charge,
American Railway Express Co.,
San Francisco.

APPROVED: C. R. Graham, Gen. Mgr.,
San Francisco, Calif.

A. Christeson, Vice Pres.,
San Francisco, Calif.

San Francisco, Calif. Dec 14th 1923

Butte, Mont.

12/17/23

Chief of Police

S. Q. #39390.

WANTED FOR ISSUING CHECKS WITHOUT FUNDS.

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I hold felony warrant for one C. S. Willets alias T. M. Wilson. This man registered at a hotel in our city under the name of T. M. Wilson when his wife was with him; and next day he came in and said they were going to stay over and the hotel man asked to register again and he signed by the name of Willets. He put over a check in this city on a Jeweler by the name of J. B. Joseph for \$163 on Feb. 7th., by purchasing a diamond with large setting and 1 wedding ring with two or three chip diamonds set in it and 1 wrist watch Hampden make, movement number as follows: No. 3005385, case No. 11192273 green 14 karat gold, Jewellers register No. 1886. Mr. Joseph would not cash check until indorsed by some one who knew C. S. Willets and J. D. Flatley indorsed the check. C. S. Willets is described as follows:-about 6 ft. tall, 180 lbs. in weight, about 27 to 30 years of age, having light or reddish hair that shows it has been dyed, has it combed back, has a Swedish appearance with a very thin face, gray eyes with large pupils, high bridge nose, large mouth and a sallow complexion. He claims to be a concession man and to hold a contract for a concession at Venice for the guessing of one's weight, also says that he had a concession at Ocean Park but was burned out and got \$800 in insurance. Flatley says this is why he indorsed the check. This man was wearing a brown suit with red pencil stripes, brown hat also overcoat, medium gray, invisible navy blue box plaid worked in coat; label inside of coat reading, "Radio Clothes Guaranteed". This man has his wife with him who is described as follows:-short, heavy-set, light complexion, dark brown hair, about 5ft. 6in. tall, weighing about 175 lbs., supposed to be living in Oakland or Alameda and going by the name of Mrs. Elvilda Keith.

ARREST AND WIRE ME MY EXPENSE

O. M. HISERMAN,

Chief Of Police

DEPARTMENT OF POLICE, SAN DIEGO, CAL.

Bureau of Identification.

February 5th, 1924.

Harvey M. DODSON - FICTITIOUS CHECKS

Case A-7573
Chestnut hair, blue eyes, 5'7", 137, 30 years, Med complexion. Occupation, accountant, Portland, Oregon, 11-16-17, 40 3 Rd. 8-16-17. Photo attached. S. Q. #14515

R. E. HENRY

FICTITIOUS CHECKS

Cases A-7516 & A-7597
Brown hair, 5'6", 150, 30 to 35 years, light complexion. Sales French furniture, this man stole & checks, numbering from 1053 to 1100, from Thos. Payne & Co., printers of this city, and cashed same. Sighing the checks Samuel JAMES, payable to R. E. Henry. This man buys perfumes, jewelry and shoes and tries to get balance in cash. Photo of check attached. Same as Cecil F. Wade, wanted Pasadena.

Valletto O. WESTBROOK - FICTITIOUS CHECKS

Case-7945
Black hair, blue eyes, 5'7, 135, 21 years. F.P.C. 5-6-1918. 11/11/18. San Bernardino #5076, San Francisco #5371. Also wanted for checks at Oakland, Cal. This man has several small checks out here. Photo attached.

E. H. STEVENS

FICTITIOUS CHECKS

Case A-7570
Black & gray hair, 5'7, 142, 30 years. Dark complexion. Represented himself to be a canvas inspector for the government, which is false. Paid a deposit on a gas meter under the name of Florence O'DONNELL. This man had credit for a week at a small grocery running up a bill of \$8.77, paid the bill with a bad check for \$35.00, and received the balance in cash. Check drawn on the San Diego Savings Bank, signed M.R. McCoy.

James WARREN

FICTITIOUS CHECKS

Case A-7580
Gray hair, brown eyes, 5'4, 130, 40 years. Dark complexion. Wore khaki hat & coat and brown wool shirt. Gave a check for \$3.75, drawn on the First Trust & Savings Bank of this city, signed Costello, in favor of Jas. WARREN. This check presented for one week's board in advance at a small outlying restaurant and received \$23.25 in change. His meals are still waiting for him.

California Bankers Association

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
628 MILLS BUILDING, SAN FRANCISCO
TELEPHONE DOUGLAS 1716

Circular No. 290.

December 12, 1923

Series 1923-24

(THIS CIRCULAR SHOULD BE INSERTED IN C. B. A. BINDER FOR REFERENCE)

Watch Out For "Dr." D. L. Martin With Numerous Aliases

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Method of Operation: This man first burglarizes a residence and obtains signatures and information from private papers. He then calls upon a bank and presents a worthless check, purporting to have been drawn by himself, containing forged endorsement of the person whose home he has burglarized. In his

102 1/2 No. _____

PAY TO THE ORDER OF cash \$ 600.00

six hundred & 00/100 DOLLARS

Dr. D. L. Martin



WANTED

BURGLAR AND FORGER

Enc - 153.
11/30/23

Zephie Saunders, alias Rendell, alias Albert P. Morton, alias Richard Harris Preston, alias Geo. G. Kappin, described as follows:

Age: 29
Hair: Blond
Height: 5-6
Weight: 150
Complex: Sallow
Nat.: Boston
Occu.: Plumber

F.P.O. 3/1 T/U 11/15

Pasadena

MODUS OPERANDI:

This man burglarizes houses of the better class, will take jewelry, firearms, etc., but mostly cancelled checks from which he copies signature and forging the name of some prominent man. He committed burglary on the home of Dr. H. Lockwood, of this city, forged a check and cashed the same at the Pacific Southwest Bank recently.

RECORD:

- 2-3-16 Mo. Pen. 17975, as Preston, 15 yrs. Forgery
- 3-28-21 Los Angeles #19098, as Richard Preston. Burgl
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- 9-14-21 Escaped from custody of Berkeley Inspector
- 9-23-21 Marysville #2276, as Kappin, Forg. Held to Los Angeles Co. San Quentin #35398

I hold warrant for the above. If found, arrest, hold and wire.

Arrest for Felony

ISSUING CHECKS WITHOUT SUFFICIENT FUNDS

C. A. MARTIN, sometimes signs C. O. Martin, an American, age 45 to 50 years, height about 6 feet, weight 185 to 190 pounds, smooth shaven, when last seen, sandy hair, streaked with grey, think grey or blue eyes, with very heavy eyebrows.

Is putting out checks on the First National Bank of Long Beach, California, to which he is signing name of C. A. or C. O. Martin.

I hold felony warrant, notify

O. W. B. Supt.
B. of I.

(San Berdo.) W. A. SHAY, Sheriff.

CHIEF'S OFFICE *Los Angeles, Cal.* Wednesday February 20, 1924

ARREST THIS MAN FOR FORGERY



NEIL MCCONLOGUE, San Quentin No. 34047, Folsom No. 11576, also served term in Federal Penitentiary, Atlanta, Ga., age 28, height 5 ft. 7 1/4 in., weight 131 lbs.; hair black, eyes blue; has been medical student, born New York. Blotch scar right side head; pit mark left knee. Bertillon: 19.0; 15.3; 10.1; 25.2; 42.2; 70.5. Finger-Print Classification: 15/24-U-00/MI-9/12. This man obtained, by bogus order to printer, a lot of cashiers' checks, purporting to have been issued by the Lomita State Bank of Lomita, Cal. Forged on same, signature of J. V. Adams, who is Vice-President of the Lomita State Bank, and has passed a number of them in Los Angeles and San Francisco. Warrant for forgery issued; send this man or information concerning him to our Detective Bureau. (C. R. M.)

WANTED BY THIS DEPARTMENT

NOTE: This Department holds Arrest Warrants for persons whose description appears under this headline.

8984. Wanted for passing fictitious checks, E. B. GOAR, age 37; height 5 ft. 11 in.; weight 185; medium complexion; round face; pleasing appearance. Claims to be a butcher. Will call on a merchant and produce a Bill of Lading for goods shipped from Arizona to Oakland via Southern Pacific Railroad Co. Freight amounting to \$96.00 marked paid by Stamp of the Southern Pacific Co. He states that goods have not yet arrived and will ask merchant to O. K. his check drawn on bank at Lynden, Washington and leave Bill of Lading for security. Bill of Lading is bogus, and check is returned from the bank marked "No Account." Arrest this man and notify this Department.

8972. Wanted for passing fictitious checks, J. L. JOHN-SON, age 50 to 55; height 5 ft. 9 or 10 in.; weight 225 to 250; florid complexion; light hair, greying, is a former glove salesman with the Litaner Glove Corporation, Gloversville, N. Y. When he presents a check for encashment he gives as reference some merchant who he has done business with as a salesman. He presents checks on a bank that does not exist, and also uses the name of fictitious firms.

is traveling with a woman as his wife, a former glove saleswoman, age 35 to 38; height 5 ft. 7 in.; weight 150 to 165; fair complexion; red hair.

is traveling in a Reo sedan car, 1924 license No. 900995, also a Colorado license 1923, No. 47748. He has no Registration Certificate. Kindly co-operate in locating and arresting this man and notify this Department.

8975. Wanted for forgery, G. W. SINGELTON, alias Geo. Barr; age 40; height 6 ft. 3 in.; weight 160; dark hair; smooth shaven; dark eyes; tall; slender; coughs considerable. Occupation, chauffeur. Did live in or around Sonoma, Cal.

8976. Wanted for passing fictitious checks, C. J. WALKER; Female; age 32; height 5 ft. 6 in.; weight 130; black hair; brown eyes; sharp nose; medium complexion. She wore a dark coat.

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Nov 23 1923 No. _____

PAY TO THE ORDER OF cash \$ 600.00

Six Hundred + 00/100 DOLLARS

no p/c D. L. Martin



Description

Zephie Saunders alias D. L. Martin, is described as 29 years of age, 5 feet 6 inches in height, 135 pounds, brown hair, clear chestnut color eyes, fair complexion, blotch scar left side of chin, makes good appearance.

Finger print classification 3 T 11
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Los Angeles No. 19098, Berkeley 1035 Folsom 11920.

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FIRST TRUST & SAVINGS BANK
OF PASADENA
PASADENA, CALIFORNIA

CUSTOMERS DRAFT

ORDER OF Mrs. Mary A. Hillman
TO San Gabriel Corp.
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Copied Pasadena Police Dept.

Copied Pasadena Police Dept.
1st Pasadena, Cal. No. 32
1st Pasadena, Cal. No. 37
1st Pasadena, Cal. No. 38

PASADENA, CAL. No. 3

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK 90-63

PAY TO THE ORDER OF Mrs. M. G. Hillman
\$5.00
DOLLARS
Copied Pasadena Police Department

Party using the names of Mrs. M. B. Webster, Mrs. W. L. Stewart, Mrs. H. M. Stewart, Edna Taylor, W. P. Loveland, J. T. Schuster, and D. S. Hull.

Description: 30 to 35 yrs, 5 ft. 1 or 2 height, 125# weight, dk coat dk hair, wears glasses, slight skin blemishes on the face. This party will pick some prominent person using their name and address for identification

Party using the name of Eugene Pratts, alias John E. Barston, no description available on this.

Party using the name of Mrs. G. G. Hillman description: age 35, height 5-8, weight 150, dk hr, dk complx. well dressed, neat appearing, has a child about two years with her. Passes checks on department stores purchasing ladies' wearing apparel.

Party named J. L. Nash, alias P. O. Hamel, Frank G. Grafton, Ralph H. Miller, Chas. Conner, J. L. Sanders, George Howard, Clarence Brown and Charles S. Taylor.

He is described as age 35, weight 165, height 5-8, hair light, eyes blue, complexion medium. This party left word here he was going to San Diego or National City, California.

Party using the name of C. A. Turner, claiming to be a member of the Turner & Knox Realty Co. of Riverside and checks made out by J. C. Knox.

Description: age 45, height 5-6, weight 155, complexion medium fair, hair dark, growing on the sides, dark suit and a very loud talker. This party will hang around and gain the confidence of merchants before attempting to cash check.

Party using the name of Ida C. White passing checks signed J. P. White, no description available

Party using the name of William Winslow passing checks made out to the Molino Nursery Co., of Sebastapol, California. Description: age 35, height 5-9, weight 155, dressed in a dark suit of clothes, dark fedora hat, of medium build and wearing glasses. Cashed check on auto necessary store buying two auto tubes and getting the remainder in change.

Any information of the above named will be appreciated.

E. A. MURPHY
Inspector of Police

Yours very truly,

CHARLES H. KELLEY
Chief of Police

See page 32 for additional copies of checks

February 4, 1924.

10. CHECYS

S. O. #39370(?)

James H. Fultz

Age: about 30, Weight 155, Height 5'10", med
complex, dark eyes, grey suit and hat. Enters a jewelry store,
picks out a diamond ring valued at \$500.00, gives a check for \$50.00
as a deposit and has had an account in the bank, but closes account
and beats it.

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Mrs. G. A. Flake, alias Mrs. E. Nichols, passing a number of checks for about \$18.00 each, working dry goods stores, buying some small article of merchandise.

72

John C. White, alias C. W. Stoddard, attempted to cash check in a local bank, having a very well known real estate agent's O.K. and endorsement, which proved to be a forgery.

Age 40 yrs, Height 5'11", Weight 180 lbs, med complx, dressed in a dark khaki colored suit of clothes with a dark brown cap. Wears a Shrine pin in lapel of coat and has a cast in one eye.

The teller of the bank called the real estate agent to verify his O.K. and White beat it.

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Cecil F. Rose, forgoing the name of Charles E. Forzage, who is a very popular moving picture director in Hollywood. Mr. Wade claims to be with the Pickford-Fairbanks Studios connected with the Technical Department. Age 45, Weight 155, Height 5'3", blue eyes, ruddy complexion, light Velour hat, brown suit, very full face and very fleshy.

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Walter C. Carnavon, forging checks on Walter G. Gripton, using an alias of James F. Monahan, age 22 to 24, Weight 165, Height 6'3", dark hair, med complx, grey cap and dressed in working clothes.

W. S. Kilgore, Age 25, Weight 135-140, Height 5'6", red or sandy hair, ruddy complex, dark suit and a cap. Claimed he worked for the Edison Company.

96

Mrs. J. D. Parks, giving checks on Department stores, small accounts. No description available.

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Mrs. L. L. Hayes, cashing checks, outfitting grocery stores, particularly Saturday nights during the rush hour. No description available.

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48.
Helen Bloom, passing checks on ladies wearing apparel stores,
born in 1908, height 135, weight 105, black hair, brown eyes,
wearing in a dark blue wool dress trimmed with grey fur. Photo on
the dress stores.

Any information on the above mentioned persons, will be

see page #33 for
copies of checks

GRADUATE SCHOOL
UNIVERSITY OF POLAND

Yours very truly,
CHARLES H. KILLEY
Chief of Police

th. a. MURPHY
Inspector of Police

SHERIFF'S OFFICE
County of San Diego, California.

Bulletin #17.

San Diego, California,
February 1, 1924.

CHECK KITTERS.

J. F. BRENNEN.

Described as follows: 40-45, 5' 10", 185#, Grayish hair, Muddy complexion. Passed a check on the Waldorf Hotel, this City.

EMIL MEYER.

Described as follows: 44 years, 5' 5", 150#, dark hair, dark eyes, dark complexion; is a salesman. Passed a check on the U. S. Grant Hotel, this City.

EDWARD W. WELCH.

Described as follows: 35 years, 5' 8", 160#, dark hair, dark complexion. This man was neatly dressed. He registered at the Hotel St. James with his wife and sister-in-law and attended the races at Tia Juana every day from December 31st. to January 4th. Think he was driving Chevrolet touring car. Passed bad check on Hotel St. James.

JOHN E. WOOD.

Described as follows: 45-48, 5' 8", 180-90 pounds, light hair, light eyes, ruddy complexion. This man is a commercial salesman, representing some Eastern firm, and is selling silks. Passed bad check on St. James Hotel, this City.

LOUIS BRITTON.

No description. Passed bad check on Loeb Clothing Company.

FICTITIOUS CHECKS.

J. M. MEYERS.

Described as follows: 48 years, 5' 3", 160#, dark hair, dark complexion; was a scalper and book-maker at Tia Juana; right hand crippled and end of right ring finger is amputated about second joint. Passed fictitious check in this city.

CITY & COUNTY BUREAU OF IDENTIFICATION,
Bakersfield, California,
29th., December, 1923.

WARNING NOTICE!

BAD CHECK ARTIST OPERATING!!

A Saturday afternoon worker of unusual ability put over one thousand dollars worth of bad paper at Taft, California on the 22nd., instant.

Checks in this case were drawn on the National Bank of Bakersfield by "Palmer Bros. Trucking Co" a non-existent concern, payable to "J. E. Edwards" and signed "J. E. Palmer". Checks are protected, rapped in red as to amount payable; "F E Edwards" being written in with a Corona portable typewriter, one of the old models which does not admit of typing the numbers in the upper right hand corner, hence, the number "696" is filled in with pen.

Checks range in amount from \$20.00 to \$50.00.

This paperhanger is described as being 35 to 40 years of age; height, 5'9 or 10"; weight, 165 to 180 lbs; light brown hair; hazel eyes; ruddy complexion; coarse featured; hands rough. Dressed in a dark suit with a dark felt hat.

Felony Warrant is being issued covering this case. Be on the lookout for this fellow, as he may hit your locality next. Arrest for your own protection and wire us at our expense. He will take care of him.

J. H. DUNN, Chief of Police, or J. C. WALSH, Sheriff
Bakersfield, California.

Circular No. 216.

G. B. LAWSON, Supt., Bu. Ident'n.

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G. B. LAWSON, Supt., Bu. Ident'n.

Police Department, Bureau of Identification

Chief of Police Office, City of Tulare, Ca

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Name Willet
 Alias ←
 Crime Fictitious check
 Information given by Money-back hotel, Monterey
 Address 114 So. 4 Street, Tulare, California
 Age 30 Apparent age 30
 Height 5 ft. 11 in. or 6 ft. Eyes Blue
 Weight 145 Hair Red, once black dyed, with gray
 Build Slender Moustache None
 Complexion Light Beard None
 Native American Occupation Amusement Concession
 Last known address 1066 West Sixth St., Los Angeles, or similar
 Finger print formula Latent information, in and around allowed, or handled
 Marks and scars: Very tall and slim, long slender face.

Criminal record: This man has no criminal record as writer. No tillage, or anything, but has no record of it, handwriting in the last column of Criminal Identification.

Remarks: This man wore a dark suit with red pencil stripe, brown hat, and a pocket, inside left, invisible navy blue key chain series to left. Inside of coat reading "Radio Cloth Guaranteed." This man is wearing a dark, heavy coat, light coloration, with a dark hair, about 5 ft. 11 in. tall, weight 145 pounds. He received information from a police officer that this man's wife is in and around Los Angeles, and is the name of Mildred Keith.

This description taken by

Chief of Police

CITY & COUNTY BUREAU OF IDENTIFICATION,
Bakersfield, California,
26th December, 1923.

WANTED ON FELONY WARRANTS - CHARGING FICTITIOUS CHECKS:
 (See: Forg. 7 - page 14 - 34)
 L. LEE WEBB, Age 35 years; height, 5'6"; weight, 160 lbs; dark hair and complexion; wears glasses. This man is supposed to work for a wholesale house at 1096 East 6th, Street, Los Angeles.

H. GREENSTON, Age 35 years; height 5'6"; weight, 130 lbs; dark complexion - Jewish in appearance. Drives a small truck with a bed for produce. Sometimes has a companion with him who gives his name as Schecter, and his address as 559 East 20th, Street, Los Angeles, California.

JEAN MERRILL, Age 26 or 27 years; height, 5'10"; dark brown hair; good talker; square-shouldered with military bearing; dark complexion; round face; several gold teeth. This man is wanted on a felony warrant charging forgery.

Age 36 years; height, 5'5"; medium build; dark complexion; Jewish appearance. This man is reported as being known at Burbank, Calif., where he has an auto in storage at the Lovejoy Garage. Is badly wanted by this Department on a felony warrant charging Forgery.

Bakersfield - 12/26/23 - Case 215.

American Railway Express Company, Inc.

Will pay Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) reward for information leading to the arrest and detention of

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Harding Abraham Richardson Trembley

Picture taken Toronto, Can.,
1916, C. E. F.,
97th Battalion



Picture taken at Utica State
State Hospital, 1916



Alias A. G. COLBURN, A. R. TREMBLEY, FREDERICK S. WELCH, JR., JOHN C. BLISS and ABRAHAM HARDING, who, on August 7th, 1922, purchased from this Company at Schenectady, N. Y., \$370.00 worth of Travelers' Cheques, paying for same with certified check, which later proved to be a forged certification.

Trembley is an expert forger. His method of operation is to establish a residence in a community, deposit and open an account in a bank, obtain Cashier's signature, then make up a number of certified checks, forging Cashier's name, and tendering same to merchants in payment of goods purchased.

DESCRIPTION:

Born, February 4, 1891; height, 5 ft. 10 in.; weight, 130-150 lbs.; light brown hair; blue eyes; receding forehead; nose, straight; prominent eyeballs; vaccination mark, left arm; also tatoo marks; Phi Delta Sigma Alpha, right forearm.

Facsimile of Handwriting:

A. G. Colburn *Jeffkin*
F. I. Welch, Jr. *H. R. Trembley*

Operations

Gilbertsville, N. Y., Schenectady, N. Y., Boston, Mass., Peoria, Ill., Bellefontaine, Ohio, Springfield, Ohio, Attleboro, Mass., Saranac Lake, N. Y.

Police Record

Arrested, Utica, N. Y., confined State Hospital Criminal Insane, forgery. Saginaw, Michigan, sentenced Detroit House of Correction for 5 years; on release, forged other checks, escaped to Canada, joined American Legion, C. E. F., 97th or 27th Battalion.

Warrant has been issued Grand Larceny, Second Degree, and is held by Chief of Police, Schenectady, N. Y., who should be immediately notified by wire of this man's arrest, as should also any of the undersigned.

R. E. M. COWIE,
Vice-President,
Grand Central Terminal,
New York City.

C. T. WILLIAMSON,
General Manager,
Main and Erie Sts.,
Buffalo, N. Y.

F. R. DURHAM,
Special Agent in Charge,
300 Main Street,
Buffalo, N. Y.

BUFFALO, N. Y., November 28, 1923

CITY & COUNTY BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION,
Bakersfield, California,
7th February, 1924.

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WANTED ON FELONY WARRANTS- CHARGING FICTITIOUS CHECKS :

L. P. OLSEN, alias O P Finze, alias P W Allen. Description: Height, abt six feet; weight, abt 175 lbs; dark complected; long, slim pock-marked face, with high cheek bones. Is supposed to be driving a Chevrolet auto, Motor No. 733309, Calif State Lic No. 788-403, (for 1923), same being registered to R B Belcher, R F D "E", Box 377, Fresno, Calif.

CHARLES MCKAY, Age abt 32 years; height, abt 5'9"; weight, 185 to 190 lbs; light hair combed pompadour; poses as a ladies' man, is always giving himself the once over in the glass and sprucing up.

This man is a tramp painter, but sometimes seeks work as an auto salesman, and travels with a man known as "T R Dodge". The above men are wanted on bad check warrants. Arrest, hold and wire at our expense. We will send for them anywhere.

Circular No. 4
Second issue.
July 11, 1923.

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Wanted for passing bad checks, in this City December, 1922.



F.S. Richards, alias Ori Richards, alias Bra Richards, Smithkamp, Stienkamp and Frank Ora Smith; age 33 years, height about 5 feet 9 or 10 inches, weight about 170 lbs., brown hair, (thin in back), ruddy complexion, yellow eyes; Tattoo, Ship and Anchor at 4, below cb. Five dots base of right thumb and index finger; was arrested November 24, 1912 at Sacramento for Yolo County authorities for stealing a gold filled watch from the State farm at Davis and charged with petit larceny, sentenced November 27, 1912. to six months in the Yolo County Jail; was paroled from Whittier in May 1912 was arrested at Berkely November 29, 1915, charge Burglary, as Frank Ora Smith, Berkeley No. 702; is a laborer and does trucking around Railroad and Flour Mill Ware-houses, also works around lumber yards; he was a pal of John Rutledge, Yuba County No. 585, who was sent to the San Quentin, February 14th, 1923, from 1 to 14 years, for passing bad check. Finger print classification, $2 \frac{25}{U} \frac{1}{00} \frac{6}{6}$

This man was seen on the Streets of Sacramento, February 7th, 1924 (day before yesterday)

Arrest and notify this office, I hold felony warrant.

Charles J. McCoy, Sheriff.

By *J. H. Single*, Under Sheriff.

93 Enclosed herewith please find a photograph of Thomas M. Leonard, alias J. C. Leonard, with his description thereon, and this Department on a felony charge.

He purchased the following described car in this bogus check: Studebaker Light Six Touring Car, 1922 Model, color with disc wheels; State License No. 709-964, Motor No. Serial No. 1066119.

If he is located, arrest, hold, wire me at my ex. will send an officer for his return to this city.


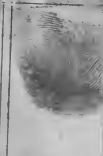
Thanking you for your kind attention to the matter, remain,

San Fran.
11/15/23.

Very truly yours,

A. G. O'Brien
D. H. O'Brien,
Chief of Police.

Part of San Francisco

(Identification of man to be written across lower left-hand corner of photograph.) (Left thumb print.)

NAME Thomas M. Leonard
Nationality American
Place of holder's birth Pennsylvania
Place of father's birth "
Place of mother's birth New Jersey
If naturalized, where and when?
Age 28 on Aug. 4 1919 Height 5 5
Vessel Mt. Vernon Flag American
Date of arrival November 8, 1919
Description: Complexion Fair Hair brown
Eyes blue Physical marks or peculiarities None

Circular No. 4
Second issue,
July 11, 1923.

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Wanted for passing bad checks, in this City December, 1922.

F.S. Richards, alias Ori Richards, alias Bra Richards, Smithkamp, Stienkamp and Frank Ora Smith; age 33 years, height about 5 feet 9 or 10 inches, weight about 170 lbs., brown hair, (thin in back), ruddy complexion, yellow eyes; Tattoo; Ship and Anchor at 4, below cb. Five dots base of right thumb and index finger; was arrested November 24, 1912 at Sacramento for Yolo County authorities for stealing a gold filled watch from the State farm at Davis and charged with petit larceny, sentenced November 27, 1912. to six months in the Yolo County Jail; was paroled from Whittier in May 1912 was arrested at Berkely November 29, 1915, charge Burglary, as Frank Ora Smith, Berkeley No. 702; is a laborer and does trucking around Railroad and Flour Mill Ware-houses, also works around lumber yards; he was a pal of John Rutledge, Yuba County No. 585, who was sent to ~~the~~ San Quentin, February 14th, 1923, from 1 to 14 years, for passing bad check. Finger print classification, $\frac{25}{2} - \frac{1}{U} - \frac{1}{00} - 6$

This man was seen on the Streets of Sacramento, February 7th, 1924 (day before yesterday)

Arrest and notify this office, I hold felony warrant.

Charles J. McCoy, Sheriff.

By A. H. Sledge, Under Sheriff.



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San Fran.
11/15/23.

Very truly yours,

A. J. O'Brien
D. H. O'Brien
Chief of Police

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THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF LOS ANGELES (16-3)

LOS ANGELES, December 10 - 1923

PAY TO THE ORDER OF

Charles L. Nelson

\$ 25.00

Ten and 00/100

DOLLARS

No. 44

Emil Nordstrom

RICHMOND, CALIFORNIA

70-204-3
MACDONALD BRANCH
MERCANTILE TRUST COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA

PAY TO THE ORDER OF

W. H. Wood

DOLLARS

Richmond

8949. Wanted for escaping from Police Court, Court No. 1, after being sentenced to 60 days' imprisonment for petit larceny, January 23, 1924. ALBERT NAPOLES. Age 26;



height 5 ft. 5 1/2 in.; weight 142; brown complexion; black hair; maroon eyes. Born in El Paso, Texas. Occupation, laborer. Oakland No. 9375. Finger prints: 1/1 Aa/Aa 3/2. He is a "hophead." San Francisco No. 31908. Los Angeles No. 13220.

8956. Wanted for passing checks, no funds, H. L. VEGHTE: Age 38; height 5 ft. 4 in.; weight 165; smooth shaven; dark hair; dark complexion; dark eyes; flat fat face.

8957. Wanted for failure to provide, WALDON MATA: Age 46; height 5 ft. 9 in.; weight 175; smooth shaven; brown hair; blue eyes; clear complexion; rounding nose. Living at 8550 Moneta Ave., Los Angeles, Cal.

8958. Wanted for failure to provide, WM. JACOBSEN: Age 42; height 5 ft. 9 in.; weight 140; smooth shaven; light complexion; brown eyes; brown hair. Has a wicker business at 3552 Twenty-third Street, San Francisco.



HENRY F. NIEMEYER, JR.

ION—Age, 24 years; height, 5 feet, 11 inches; weight, 158 pounds; may now have smooth grow beard; dresses well; when last seen wore a fur overcoat. Will no doubt register at other aliases. Is accompanied by his wife, Dorothy L. Ward Niemeyer, a tall, well built, etc., also wearing a fur coat. Very fond of automobiling and speeding, and may now be touring est records for speeding. May apply for license to operate automobile in your city.

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Cancelled 9/2/31. 103

ICTIGIOUS CHECKS, Chas. F. Nelson.

Age 24; height 5 ft. 11 in.; weight 165 to 180 lbs; hair; blue eyes; dark complexion; hardwood floor occupation; neat appearance. A man passed a number of bad checks here and stole a car, 1923 Model, Motor No. 6431856, registered to David legal owner E. K. Grant. Arrest this man, hold the car and ar expense.

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CITY & COUNTY BUREAU OF IDENTIFICATION, Bakersfield, California, 16th February, 1924.

A FELONY WARRANT—CHARGING FORGERY:

Age 27 years; height 5'11"; weight 165 to 180 lbs; hair; blue eyes; dark complexion; hardwood floor occupation; neat appearance.

A man passed a number of bad checks here and stole a car, 1923 Model, Motor No. 6431856, registered to David legal owner E. K. Grant. Arrest this man, hold the car and ar expense.

Age 28 to 30 years; weight, abt 160 lbs; no other on available. Worked two years ago as an engineer for others, Inc., 2621 Long Beach Ave., Los Angeles, Calif., and did live in the vicinity of Main and 30th Sts., Los Angeles. This man is badly wanted here on a Felony Warrant Forgery. Arrest and wire at our expense.

alias Walter Robey, a Russian Jew, Age 35 years; height weight, abt 140 lbs; black hair and eyes; dark comp; se; poses as a salesman. This man appears in the Oak- tin of January 22nd, and again Febr'y 5th., as WANTED Oakland Police for Bad Checks, and their description tall- ours with the exception that the fellow is smooth the present time. He Passed several checks here 2-12-24, ame day presumably for Los Angeles, and may be driving ar Special Touring car, Lis 29-star-775, Motor No. 138409. is Jew on sight, and wire at our expense.

RICHARD E. ENRIGHT, Police Commissioner. Circular # 2 - 2/9/24

Dated Jan.

Card 582

FRESNO, CALIF., DECEMBER 14, 1923.

WANTED ON FELONY WARRANT:-

- 104 **A. ROBERTS**, charging "ISSUING CHECK WITHOUT SUFFICIENT FUNDS", age 49 years, height 5'9", weight 180 lbs; stout build, black hair, brown eyes, smooth shaven, florid complexion, has one glass eye, wears glasses; good dresser, walks very erect; was driving 1936 Studebaker Roadster, with "Golden State Auto Service" in gold letters on side of car; supposed to be Organizer for the Golden State Automobile Service Club.
- 105 **JACK OWENS**:- charging "ISSUING FICTITIOUS CHECKS", age 27, height 5'9", weight 155 lbs; blonde hair, blue eyes, smooth shaven, light complexion; belongs to Cooks and Waiters' Union; forged the name of S. S. Shuck.
- 106 **H. J. ELLIS**:- charging "ISSUING CHECKS WITHOUT SUFFICIENT FUNDS", age 37 years, height 6', weight 190 lbs; dark hair, dark eyes, smooth shaven, dark complexion, wore dark striped suit.
- 107 **E. W. THOMAS**:- CHARGING FORGERY, age 24-26 years, height 5'10", weight 155-160 lbs; sandy hair, smooth shaven, sandy complexion; wore cap and blue bib overalls, is a laborer.
- 108 **BILL TIKIJIAN**:- charging "ISSUING CHECKS WITHOUT SUFFICIENT FUNDS", age 33 years, height 5' 4 or 5", weight 160 lbs; short, heavy set Armenian; has very large feet.

If any of the above are located, ARREST, HOLD AND WIRE AT MY EXPENSE AND OFFICER WILL BE SENT FOR THEIR RETURN TO THIS CITY. I HOLD FELONY WARRANT FOR EACH OF THE ABOVE.

FRANK P. TRUAX

CHIEF OF POLICE,
BUREAU OF IDENTIFICATION
Visalia, Calif.

Circular No. 241

109 **BAD CHECKS**

MRS. R. ALLEN, age 30-35 yrs., about 135 lbs., about 5 ft. 6 ins., light hair, light complexion, blue eyes. When last seen dressed in black turban hat and long dark coat.

In company with man about 40 yrs. of age, dark complexion, average build, dressed in long grey overcoat and fedora hat; also small boy of four, light hair, blue eyes.

Driving Dodge Roadster. Passing fictitious checks.

I hold felony warrant for the woman. Wire any information and arrest if located.

FORGERY 110.

B. H. SMITH, alias E. Smith, a negro, age about 40 yrs., height about 6 ft., weight about 190 lbs., very kinky hair, very black complexion. Is club-footed and walks on side of feet in very conspicuous manner.

I hold felony warrant for this person. Arrest and wire at my expense.

R. L. HILL,

Sheriff Tulare County

Dated Jan. 18, 1924. *Arrested 243* Visalia, Calif.

FICTITIOUS CHECKS AND EMBEZZLEMENT

111. **LEO MACE**, Mexican. Approximate description: 30 yrs., 5 ft. 6 ins., 165 lbs., stocky build, dark complexion, black hair.

Driving Ford speedster, License No, 338,870, disc wheels, top strapped back. May be in company with the party named below.

M. SINGH, Hindu, approximate description: Age 33 yrs., 5 ft. 11 ins., 195 lbs., stocky build, dark complexion, black hair, heavy black beard, round face.

Wanted for Fictitious Checks

112. **PAUL FOSTER**, age 35 yrs., 5 ft. 6 ins., 135 lbs., short, solid build, ruddy complexion, brown eyes, brown hair, graying around temples.

Checking on San Luis Obispo bank without funds. Is clever advertising man.

I hold felony warrants for above parties. Arrest and wire.

R. L. HILL,

Sheriff Tulare County

Dated Dec. 13, 1923.

Visalia, Calif.

WANTED FOR FICTITIOUS CHECKS
Caught a/12/24
CHARLES P. LITTON - 504-8-5; 1-10; Has grafted skin on right cheek; lower front teeth gone; Wore black pin check suit Soldier's Mackinaw coat; Tan shoes; Black cap; Claims to be pensioned from the navy for 27 years service and was receive first check on 20th inst. When here also borrowed money from landlady on strength of getting this pension check soon. Has papers showing his contention.
(see: Page 15 - page 16 - #275)

T. W. WHITE alias D. W. SMITH - 24; 5-11; 160; Blond hair; Fair complexion; rather long face; Noct appearing; Speaks with distinctive Southern accent; Worked here for the Pullman Co. before leaving passed a number of checks some on his friends checks no funds others under name of D. W. Smith; also passed some purported to be have been given him by the fellow who roomed with him.

Enclosed herewith are photo of check in each of the above cases the check given to D. L. Seaberg is written by White except the name of Seaberg, and the address 112 Howard St S.F. this being written by the clerk.

To hold Felony Warrant arrest then hold wire any expense will send officer for them. *Richmond* H. Wood Chief of Police
 12/29/33

CITY & COUNTY BUREAU OF IDENTIFICATION,
 Bakersfield, California,
 16th February, 1924.

WANTED ON A FELONY WARRANT - CHARGING FORGERY:

J. A. BUELL, Age 27 years; height, 5'11"; weight, 165 to 180 lbs; dark brown hair; blue eyes; dark complexion; hardwood floor dresser by occupation; neat appearance.

This man passed a number of bad checks here and stole a Ford Touring car, 1923 Model, Motor No. 6431856, registered to David Johnson, legal owner E. K. Grant. Arrest this man, hold the car and wire at our expense.

JAMES MANRAPAN, Age 28 to 30 years; weight, abt 160 lbs; no other description available. Worked two years ago as an engineer for Pieper Brothers, Inc., 2621 Long Beach Ave., Los Angeles, Calif., and his people did live in the vicinity of Main and 30th Sts., Los Angeles. This man is badly wanted here on a Felony Warrant charging Forgery. Arrest and wire at our expense.

W. YANOW, alias Walter Robey, a Russian Jew, Age 35 years; height abt 5'7"; weight, abt 140 lbs; black hair and eyes; dark comp; Jewish nose; poses as a salesman. This man appears in the Oakland Bulletin of January 22nd., and again Feb 5th., as WANTED by the Oakland Police for Bad Checks, and their description tallies with ours with the exception that the fellow is smooth shaven at the present time. He passed several checks here 2-12-24, leaving same day presumably for Los Angeles, and may be driving a 1924 Star Special Touring car, 14s 29-star-775, Motor No. 138409. Arrest this Jew on sight, and wire at our expense.

ION - Age, 24 years; height, 5 feet, 11 inches; weight, 158 pounds; may now have smooth grow beard; dresses well; when last seen wore a fur overcoat. Will no doubt register at her aliases. Is accompanied by his wife, Dorothy L. Ward Niemeyer, a tall, well built, etc. also wearing a fur coat. Very fond of automobilizing and speeding, and may now be touring set records for speeding. May apply for license to operate automobile in your city.

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Wanted for Grand Larceny.

RICHARD E. ENRIGHT,
 Police Commissioner.
 Circular #2 - 2/7/24



HENRY F. NIEMEYER, JR.

Card 582

FRESNO, CALIF., DECEMBER 14, 1933.

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Driving Dodge Roadster. Passing fictitious checks.

I hold felony warrant for the woman. Wire any information and arrest if located.

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I hold felony warrant for this person. Arrest and wire at my expense.

R. L. HILL,
 Sheriff Tulare County
 Dated Jan. 18, 1924. Circular #243 Visalia, Calif.

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Checking on San Luis Obispo bank without funds. Is clever advertising man.

I hold felony warrants for above parties. Arrest and wire.

R. L. HILL,
 Sheriff Tulare County
 Visalia, Calif.
 Dated Dec. 13, 1923.

Chief of Police.

Dear Sir:-

I hold warrant for Harvey R. Brown.

charging larceny by check.

Brown is described as, age 30; height 5 ft 5; weight 135; slender build; dark hair; clear complexion; smooth face; photographer by occupation; good appearance; was wearing dark cravenette overcoat; dark clothes, and heavy shell rim glasses. He has stained finger nails.

Brown passed a number of bad checks in Spokane and we have reason to believe that he is in your city.

While here he stayed at the Y.M.C.A. and may possibly be found around that organization in your city. Photograph enclosed herewith.

If you can locate this man, kindly arrest, hold and wire me at my expense.

Yours very truly,

sjw.

W.H.Turner, Chief of Police.

OFFICE OF CHIEF OF POLICE.

STOCKTON, CALIF.

DECEMBER 10th 1923.

STOLEN AUTOMOBILE.

#12350. CHEVROLET "490" touring car; 1923 California License #125-512; Motor #G-28593; 1923 model; registered to J. W. Speck #1620 S. El-dorado St., Stockton, Calif.

WANTED FOR PASSING FICTITIOUS CHECKS.

#12364. I hold felony warrant, charge Passing Fictitious Checks, for the following described man: J. H. JONES; 30 to 35 years; 5 ft. 8 or 9 in.; 150 to 160 lbs.; light complexion; smooth shaven; was wearing old blue serge suit; leather vest, no sleeves; dark cap; Army "OD" overcoat; tan shoes that were too large for him. This man deposited \$10.00 in the First National Bank in this city, this date, received a check book and the proceeded to pass the checks. He went to a tire shop, purchased two, 33 x 4 FEDERAL cord tires, one grey FEDERAL tube, amounting to \$54.50 and gave a check covering this amount; he then went to a clothing store and purchased a suit of clothes for \$50.00 and gave a check covering this amount.

WLT/HAV

W. L. WALKER.
Chief of Police.

Riverside, California, November 30, 1923

Wanted for Fictitious Checks

Donald Giffin, Jew, 24 to 25 years of age, height 6 feet, slim build, black hair and brown eyes, dark complexion, wears shell glasses, ring with gold nugget, also an army overcoat. Giffin hangs around the Angelus Temple in Los Angeles, also other religious places and works the members on bogus checks, etc.

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SAN FRANCISCO POLICE DEPARTMENT
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BULLETIN #233.

WANTED FOR BAD CHECKS

Frank A. Morrison alias Frank V. Morris, alias Frank B. Cotton.

Nationality Jew., age 42 looks much younger, 5 feet 8 inches, medium build large bone, Wt. 185 lbs. smooth shaven sunken features, large lower jaw bone.

DRESS:

Neat gray suit, black crocheted tie, ponge silk or white silk shirt with black pin stripe, tan shoes, long narrow foot, fedora hat.

This man is a confirmed dope addict of the roset kind deposited with a local bank worthless check for \$240.00 on the United Bank and Trust Co. of San Francisco against which he drew quite a number of worthless checks, obtained by extor-
denue by showing merchants his bank book. This while he was to get a local Physician to give him 8 grains of morphine and when refused said he would go where he could get all he wanted.

Last seen here Sunday February 3, 1934, Arrest hold and wire at my expense I hold felony warrant.

Wanted for Issuing Checks Without Sufficient Funds

Chico, California, January 8th, 1934.

F. M. KOCHER—Nationality, Hungarian; age, about 38; height, about 5 feet, nine inches; light complexioned; black hair; slightly bald on top; raw boned; has full face; front teeth separated nearly 1/4 inch; back teeth out; has mustache that is well kept, nearly always waxed and turned up at ends; is a carpenter by trade; a first-class finisher and cabinet maker; an expert pool player and poker player; is good cook; is a good mixer; likes booze and women; mixes with society.

When last seen wore a dark serge suit, a light, soft hat and a long, brown, genuine beaver coat, also top length, with quilted lining, pockets on side, valued at \$600.00.

Arrest this man, hold him and wire us at our expense as we hold a felony warrant.

J. A. LIGHT, Constable, Chico, Calif.
L. E. NEWTON, Constable, Chico, Calif. or
C. E. TOVEE, Chief of Police, Chico, Calif.

*Left for Santa Fe
Think he is there.*

J. L. Johnson, alias J. O. Miller. 50 years of age, about 5 feet 11 inches, about 215 pounds, dark eyes, grey hair, light complexion and smooth shaven.

This fellow had repair work done on auto, paid bill with check for more than amount of bill, getting difference in cash. Check was drawn on a fictitious bank in "Gloversville, New York." The check is special prepared form:—"The A. M. Webb Co., Inc., on Gloversville National Bank" signed J. O. Miller, Secy. Treas. Notation "Road Expense Acct." appears on bottom of check.

He has in his possession a 1923 Rec Sedan, Colorado License #47748, Mtr. #32146. Car and man also wanted at Denver, Colorado.

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Please advise me of any information you may be able to obtain regarding above parties.

(Fridley--Check Detail)

Respectfully,

Fred. B. Kutz, Supt.,
Bureau of Identification.

J. S. Yancy,
Chief of Police,
Long Beach, California.

BULLETIN 195.....Dec. 22, 1933.

BOY WANTED

The Sheriff of Martinez wants a young man by the name of Noble Willis who was arrested by this Department before for Martinez. Sheriff thinks he is now going under the name of C. C. Bonham and is wanted in Oakland for Bad Checks. This boy is well known to our Department. If located arrest and hold and Sheriff will send for him.

ARREST THIS MAN FOR FELONY
2938 12-2-34
J. H. RITTER, alias JACK RENT, American, 30 yrs.; 5 ft. 1 in.; 135 lbs.; dark complexion; dark hair; very pleasant talker; claims to be an aviator; when last seen wore dark suit and dark fedora hat.
This man obtained, on worthless check, a Stutz roadster, 1920 model, Royal red body, black gear, black wire wheels, Willard battery, Stewart speedometer, auto engine No. 7442, license No. 965-575. Hold Ritter and the automobile and notify our Detective Bureau for Winn-Curtis Mail-heau.

This boy, Noble Willis, was arrested here by Detective Sergeant J. A. Brown and Andy Moore 3/12/23 for trying to pass bad checks at Eastern Outfitting Co., etc., first telephoning to these stores that Mr. Billy Williams would present a check which was O.K. credited to his parents.

On May 17th, was again arrested here by Dall and Rutherford and returned to San Francisco.

8887. Wanted for forgery, F. P. KLOSTER. Age 28; height 5 ft. 8 in.; weight 140; light brown hair, or had same broken; cauliflower ear; is a prize fighter.
8888. Wanted for passing fictitious checks: JOSEPH H. YOUNG. Age 30 to 32; height 5 ft. 8 in.; weight 140; light brown hair. Has a Ford touring car with a one-man top.
8890. Wanted for forgery, F. ANDERSON. Age 32; height 5 ft. 8 in.; gray hair; sandy complexion; blue eyes. He looks like an American and has the appearance of a workingman.
8891. Wanted for passing fictitious checks: J. C. MAULEY. Age 27; height 5 ft. 8 in.; weight 156. This man looks like a Swede and is a prizefighter.

Cancelled * * * * * 122

Arrest. I hold Felony Warrant for Louis L. LaPonte, alias
L. F. LaPointe (true name), described as:-

30 years of age,
About 5 feet 7 inches,
About 135 pounds,
Brown hair, (see per notice 7/2/45)
Brown eyes,
Medium complexion, smooth shaven,
Dresses neatly, combs hair straight back.



This fellow passed two forged checks on a local bank, forging
name of a local resident.

I am enclosing copy of kodak photograph of LaPonte, and ask
that every endeavor be made towards his apprehension.

Any information that you may be able to furnish, kindly advise
me at my expense.

Respectfully,

(Fridley--Bad Checks)

Fred. B. Kutz, Supt.,
Bureau of Identification.

J. S. Yancy,
Chief of Police,
Long Beach, California.

123 Joseph D. Miller, American, age 29 years, weight 145 to 150
pounds, slender build, blue eyes, dark brown hair and dark complexion.

His occupation is farming, but may be working in a garage as a
mechanic.

When Miller left Winchester, Riverside County, he was driving
a Mitchell six-cylinder car, old model. He may have with him a
young lady of the following description:

American, age 19, height 5 feet 7 inches, weight 125 pounds,
light complexion, slender build, light brown hair and blue eyes.

We are very anxious to apprehend Miller and if located please
notify. We hold warrant. *charging fictitious checks.*

The pictures are the best likeness that can be had.

2/28/24 SAM RYAN, Sheriff
Riverside County,
Riverside, California.

Circular #183-
2nd issue.

Louis CORTESE,-

124.

(S. Diego)

WOM/OPR
B. of I.

Harold D. SHERMAN,

FORGERY

Black hair, 5'10", 170#, 20 years. Very
dark complexion. Appears to be an Italian.
Round face, hair pompadour. Photo attached.

I hold felony warrants for the above described
persons. Kindly arrest, hold and wire at my
expense.

H JAMES PATRICK
Chief of Police.

CANCELLATIONS
Case A-5816

Bulletin 7/28/23

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Felony Warrant for J. Joseph, Syrian, approximate description: Age 35 yrs., height 5 ft. 6 ins., weight 165 lbs., heavy set, black hair, smooth shaven, dark complexion, bald head, talks rapidly, speaks with broken accent. Drives Dodge touring car, 1920 model. May be located around Corona or Los Angeles.

WANTED FOR FORGERY—T. Bonnington, about 50 yrs., about 5 ft. 10 ins., about 160 lbs., slightly grey hair.

WANTED FOR BAD CHECKS—C. Callas, about 50 yrs., about 5 ft. 9 ins., about 150 lbs., small white spot on right side of head above ear. Prominent gold fillings in mouth. Probably has with him a boy 16 yrs. old, pale complexion, light hair, stoop shoulders.

I hold felony warrants for above parties. Arrest and wire at my expense.

R. L. HILL,
Sheriff Tulare County
Visalia, Calif

ated Dec. 13, 1923.

BUREAU OF IDENTIFICATION
Visalia, Calif.

Circular No. 248

2/28/24

FORGERY

I hold felony warrant for

Joe C. Ray

Description—Age 25 years, height 5 ft. 10 ins., weight 125 lbs., slender build, light complexion, dark hair. Last seen wearing army pants and leg-gins, light cap, tan shoes, blue serge coat with pencil stripe.

Driving old Ford truck, 1923 license 793-873.

Wire any information to this office or to Constable Bert Hicks, Dinuba.



Steve Stanbury, For Forgery. This man is a cook and carries a card in the Culinary Workers' Union. Be on the lookout for him if he presents card to local unions. I hold felony warrant.

Arrest, I hold Felony Warrant for the following described party, charging Passing No Fund Checks:-

STANLEY L. JOHNSON, (photograph inclosed)
25 years of age,
5 feet 8 inches,
180 pounds,
Light brown hair,
Blue grey eyes,
Light complexion.

This fellow is reported to have served on the U. S. S. VERMONT for about three years.

Any information you may be able to furnish me regarding his possible location will be greatly appreciated. If located, arrest and advise me.

Respectfully,
J. S. Yancy,
Chief of Police,
Long Beach, California.

F. B. Kutz, Supt.,
Bureau of Identification.



OFFICE OF THE CHIEF OF POLICE
POLICE DEPARTMENT

Circular #23-0

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CHECKS

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D.O. BARN: 130; 5-7; 140; Laborer; dressed wearing a Salt and pepper suit; Drak Chevrolet will have with him a woman posing as his infant child. We hold Felony Warrant with Intent to Defraud arrest hold wire me

OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA

1924 No. 7

THE AMERICAN BANK

COMMERCIAL SAVINGS

PAY TO THE ORDER OF

Richmond, E.Y.
COPY 2-8-24
BY E. W. HARRIS

DOLLARS

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Recd. 548- 12/3/23.

(Kirkpatrick)

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Bureau of Identification.

Respectfully,

J. S. Yancy,
Chief of Police,
Long Beach, California.

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF OF POLICE
POLICE DEPARTMENT

Circular #23-c

129. CHECKS

NO

FUNDS.

Richmond, Cal. Feb. 10, 1924.

D. C. MARIEN: 20; 5-7; 140; Laborer; Accent American; Dark Corp. looks like Italian. Booze hound; Thought to be a Hop-Head. Poorly dressed wearing a Salt and pepper suit; Dark Brown hat. Drives a Chevrolet. Will have with him a woman posing as his wife. - 20; 5-6; 160; Stout build no waist line, wearing a dark Blue dress Blue Turban not has infant child. We hold Felony Warrant charging "Issuing Checks with Intent to Defraud" arrest hold wire me my expense will send for him.

BUREAU OF IDENTIFICATION
Visalia, Calif.

Circular No. 248

3/28/24

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This man is a cook and carries a card in the Culinary Workers' Union. Be on the lookout for him if he presents a card to local unions. I hold felony warrant.



W. C. CROSSMAN.

FORGEY 133

Alias Collins, CROSSMAN. Light hair, blue eyes, 5'6", 155 lbs., 29 years, light complexion. Has long flat nose, wears nose glasses. Secured four checks from the American Furniture Co., Cecil W. RAMBOLD, mgr., and two cash checks. One have been returned, dated #5529, #5530, #5531. This man is said to have a wife and children and aged mother at 130 North Rhode Island Ave., Atlantic City, N.J. His true name is said to be Collins, CROSSMAN.

17/1 1923



THE FIRST TRUST AND SAVINGS



Checks - continued from page 20

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF RIVERSIDE, CAL.

Pay to the order of Mrs. M. S. Smith \$11.50

Four Hundred and Sixty 100

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130 1/15/24 WANTED FOR FICTITIOUS CHECK, NO FUNDS William I. Smith, age about 32 years, smooth shaven, sandy complexion, weight about 145 lbs., height about 5 ft. 8 inches. Camp man for sheep men, dressed in overalls, light heel boots, dark hat.

Bulletin #13.

San Diego

San Diego, California
December 20, 1923.

\$25.00 Reward.

WANTED FOR DRAWING A DRAFT ON A BANK WITHOUT HAVING FUNDS OR CREDIT THEREIN TO MEET SAME.

ARTHUR COOPER.

Description as follows: 53 years, 5'11", 160#; Hair, dark brown tinged with grey, cut close on sides, long on front to cover bald spot; Eyes, greenish-grey; Complexion, medium; has small hole in right side of chin, and has kind of a crooked or cracked smile; even white teeth with gold crown on right side; has sharp features; wears heavy rimmed glasses, smooth shaven. Has a small waist, tan, whip cord suit, but wore tan sweater with corduroy pants, brown puttees, black shoes and soft brown leather coat, always wore bow tie (usually were bow tie with white edge), when last seen. Put over \$300.00 check on First National Bank of Philadelphia, Pa., signed his father's name to check, Arthur Cooper. Check given to Southern Trust & Commercial Bank, San Diego. Above reward offered by the Southern Trust & Commercial Bank of this City.

\$50 Reward for Arrest

JOHN E. CALNON, About 35



years of age, tall and slender, 6 feet, weighs about 160, dark complexion, is wanted for issuing bad checks, and selling mortgaged property. Probably dressed in corduroy with high top boots, is accompanied by wife, against whom there is no charge. Wife light, blue eyes, age 23, height 5 ft., 6 in. Probably dressed in brown coat with fur collar; Eastern Star ring on little finger of left hand.

Traveling in new Ford coupe, No. 8982111.

Arrest and wire

G. A. MURPHY, Sheriff,
Howard, Kas.

PACIFIC-SOUTHWEST FIRST BANK
INCORPORATED IN CALIFORNIA
SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.

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THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF LOS ANGELES
INCORPORATED IN CALIFORNIA
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REPLACEMENT CHECK BOOK
PACIFIC-SOUTHWEST TRUST & BANK
LOS ANGELES, CALIF. 90-544
THIS BANK'S NATIONAL BANK OF CALIFORNIA
BANKING OFFICE AND HEADQUARTERS IN LOS ANGELES

RECEIVED
Jan 4 1924
\$2.00
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Two and no/100
Walter D. Lawrence
Walter D. Lawrence

PASADENA, CALIF. 124 4 No. 87
PACIFIC-SOUTHWEST TRUST & BANK
LOS ANGELES, CALIF. 90-544
BANKING OFFICE AND HEADQUARTERS IN LOS ANGELES

RECEIVED
Jan 4 1924
\$14.00
DOLLARS
Walter D. Lawrence
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RECEIVED
Jan 7 1924
\$123.00
DOLLARS
One hundred twenty three
63 Oak Street
Walter D. Lawrence
Walter D. Lawrence

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VERMONT AVE. BRANCH
SECURITY TRUST & SAVINGS BANK
LOS ANGELES 90-230
LOS ANGELES, CALIF.
HOLLYWOOD BLVD.
No. 136
Jan 12 1924
\$22.00
DOLLARS
Twenty two
Charles E. DePage
Charles E. DePage

LOS ANGELES 1924 No. 50
PACIFIC-SOUTHWEST TRUST & BANK
LOS ANGELES TRUST & SAVINGS BANK
SIXTH AND SPRING STS.
PAY TO THE ORDER OF
\$50.00
DOLLARS
Five 10/100
700 S. Wacker
James R. Kelly
James R. Kelly

PASADENA, CALIF. 4-23 1924 No. 42
THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF PASADENA
90-63
TO THE ORDER OF
\$75.00
DOLLARS
Walter D. Lawrence
Walter D. Lawrence

WANTED ON FELONY WARRANTS - 134 FICTITIOUS CHECKS :

I. B. RANKIN, alias G. R. Rankin, mining stock salesman and promoter, age 35 years; height, 6'2"; fair complexion and blue eyes. Is driving Stevens Touring auto bearing California License No. 111-051 (1923). This man passed several bad checks in this locality and we are very anxious to apprehend.

Mrs. AUBREY WINN, age 23 years; height, 5'7"; weight, 135 lbs; dark eyes; wears green glasses with tortoiseshell rims; neat dresser; bobbed hair; has relatives @ Los Angeles and @ Redlands, California. Her method is to make a small purchase, gives check in payment and receives balance in cash. Arrest and wire this Department at our expense.

March 26th 1924.

Mr Benard McShane,
Chief of Police,
Sacramento, Calif.

Dear Sir:-

I hold FELONY warrant for J.M. Meyers, charged with making, uttering, publishing, passing and delivering a fictitious check with intent to defraud.

The dependant is described as follows:
Age 48 years; height 5 feet 3 inches; weight 160 pounds, dark hair, dark complexion. This man was scalper and bookmaker at the Tia Juana Race track, Tia Juana, Mexico. His right hand is crippled, and end of right little finger is amputated about second joint. I have information he was seen in Sacramento three days ago, he all-ways hangs out at a pool hall or at some cigar stand.

Kindly arrest, hold and notify me and I will send an officer for him.

Thanking you for your co-operation in this matter, I am,

Very truly yours,
James C. Byers, Sheriff.

By *J. C. Byers*
Sec'y Criminal Department.

WANTED

For Fictitious Checks

MRS. L. E. RAY

Description: Age 25 to 30 yrs., height 5 ft. 2 ins., weight 100 to 110 lbs., hair brown, lobbed, eyes brown, features sharp. Complexion sallow. Clothing brown dress, black pumps, grey cape, light colored hat.

Traveling Companions: Boy 4 to 5 yrs. old, answering to the name of Lou, slender stature, light hair and blue eyes, wearing light colored overcoat. Man 45 to 50 yrs. old, height about 6 ft., weight 200 lbs., blue eyes, dark hair, smooth shaven, ruddy complexion.

Modus operandi: On March 4th to 6th appeared at stores with small boy, selected articles and requested they be laid aside for two days pending arrival of a check from her father in Modesto. Two days later again appeared with boy, produced a check signed by C. R. Franklin, drawn on the First National Bank of Modesto, in the sum of \$20.00, took her articles previously selected and received balance in change. The man did not show himself, except at the rooms occupied by the parties.

Articles Purchased in Visalia: Vanity case and small articles from Novelty Shop; J. B. Stetson hat, size 7; steel gunmetal color; one Elgin watch, seven jewel, twelve size green gold engraved case. No. of works 25695743, Case No. 5495747.

Description and Modus operandi same as party described. Merced Card No. 157 and San Bernardino Card No. 372, as Visalia Circular No. 243. Please request your local merchants be on the lookout for these parties and if located, arrest and wire at my expense. I hold felony warrant.

R. L. HILL,
Sheriff Tulare County
Visalia, Cal.

Dated March 12, 1924.

Wanted for Passing Bad Checks

140

A. C. Waters, age about 34 years, height about 5 feet 6 inches, weight about 160 lbs.



Card No. 157

Sheriff's Office, Merced County, Cal. 137
T. A. MACK, Sheriff

WANTED FOR ISSUING FICTITIOUS CHECKS

A woman going by name of Mrs. Lela Kelly, 30-35 years old, 5 feet 2 or 3 inches tall, 110-120 lbs., brown hair, gold teeth; had a boy 4 or 5 years old with her and was with a man in Buick roadster. Put over several bad checks here on business houses. Always gives very plausible story to victims. Any information notify me, T. A. MACK, Sheriff.

CIR 6012. 138
St. Barbara, Calif.
March 21st, 1924.

WANTED FOR FICT CHECKS-----Chas O. Morgan.

Age 26. Height 5'9 Weight 175. Dark curly. Neat dresser. Brown hair which he parts on left side. Morgan at one time worked for the Torrey Valley Sulphur company and will claim to represent the company at the present time. May be driving a Buick roadster. WARRANT ISSUED.

Wire all information collect.

L. Desgrandchamps,
Chief of Police

RICHMOND, CAL. March 10th 1924 No. 19



The Mechanics Bank

90-203
RICHMOND, CAL.
MARCH 11, 1924

Pay to the order of *Five Dollars* \$ 5 00
Five Dollars
DOLLARS

Description:- 32 to 35; 5-4 to 6; 140 to 150; 137
Red face; some teeth missing; is a Boozie Hound; 139
Passed three checks like enclosed photograph on restaurants and one on a rooming house.

E. J. ST. CLAIR, alias JESS SIN CLAIR

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30 years of age,
5 feet 11 inches,
165 pounds,
Auburn hair,
Light eyes, probably blue.

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F. J. ST CLAIR, alias JESS SIN CLAIR
30 years of age,
5 feet 11 inches,
165 pounds,
Auburn hair,
Light eyes, probably blue or grey,
Smooth shaven,
Ruddy complexion.

This fellow passed several checks on local merchants to which he forged the name of a resident of this city. I am inclosing photograph of St Clair.

Wanted for Passing Bad Checks

A. C. Waters, age about 34 years, height about 5 feet 6 inches, weight about 160 lbs. smooth shaven, fairly good looking, wearing top laced shoes, wearing cap, dark shirt, no coat, had the appearance of laboring man; using Decker-Jewett Bank checks of Marysville buys small article of clothing and gives check for same, receiving change for balance, usually check for \$6.00 or \$8.00. Arrest, I hold felony warrant.

Wanted for Fictitious Check

B. F. Gallagher, height about 5 feet 7 or 8 inches, age about 55 years, weight about 170 lbs., full round face, gray mustache, hair mixed with gray, butcher by occupation, dressed in heavy blue shirt, kahki pants, round white hat, wearing a vest, no coat; well known in Sacramento, Stockton, also in all Superior California towns, has two sisters residing in Oakland. I hold felony warrant.

REWARD

Wanted for Forgery and False Pretense

The photo hereon reproduced is a good likeness of C. F. Milliken, for whom I hold a warrant charging him with "False Pretense."



C. F. MILLIKEN

No. 400,265. Is said to be accompanied by a woman other than his wife. Milliken passes as a Salesman for Securities and generally mentions the Tri-State Security Company when talking to a prospect. The Ohio Bankers Association, Huntington Bank Bldg., this city are very anxious that this man be apprehended on the forgery charge as a prominent Broker of this city on the false pretense charge. These are felonies in the State of Ohio and if located, arrested and wire and an officer will be sent for his return to this city reosecution.

bus, Ohio, March 10, 1924

H. E. FRENCH,
Chief of Police

Port Orchard, Wash.
March 22, 1924.

TO ALL SHERIFFS AND POLICE :-

\$25.00 REWARD

WANTED FOR FORGERY AND PASSING CHECKS.

RALPH MURRAY - About 19 yrs., 5 ft. 8 or 9 in., Dark brown hair, Fair complexion,

D. E. JONAS - About 26 yrs., 5 ft. 3 or 4 in., Dark complexion, and when last seen wore dark blue suit, and tight fitting grey overcoat.

The above men may have a young lady with them and are driving a 1923 Ford touring car, Washington Lic. No. 2C0034, Eng. No. 6V17089, and may also have a female brindle Bull dog with them.

The above men passed several bad checks in this County. They were last seen at Olympia, Wash. where they obtained the above license plate, and were headed South for Long Beach, Cal. where Murray lived a short time ago.

The above reward will be paid for the arrest and detention of the above parties. We hold warrant. Arrest hold and wire my expense.

JOHN STANIOCH, SHERIFF,
KITSAP COUNTY,
PORT ORCHARD, WASH.



NAME: Oliver Atlee Crow, alias J. M. Miller, S. B. Winston, Geo. B. Winston.

AGE: 44 years. HEIGHT: 5 feet, 9 inches. WEIGHT: 150 pounds.

HAIR: Black, slightly gray. FACE: Smooth shaven when last seen in December, 1923.

ABOVE PICTURE taken within last five years. Excellent likeness but he has aged some since picture taken.

CHARACTERISTICS: Crabbed disposition; talks through nose; always well-dressed; never works at hard labor; well educated.

WANTED FOR EMBEZZLEMENT OF ELEVEN THOUSAND DOLLARS AND FORGERY OF CHECKS.

This person lost this money by playing the Board of Trade known as the wheat market. He is known at the office of Frank T. Rutherford & Co., 30 East Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio. The Frank T. Rutherford Co. have a chain of offices located in all principal cities in United States, their main office being New York City. The Ohio offices know this man by name O. A. Crow. His wife is located at 251 West 8th Ave., Columbus, Ohio, and is employed at the R. L. Polk Co., 55 East Main Street, Columbus, Ohio. This man was a salesman for the same company a short time ago. He has been in the following towns recently: (Ohio) Columbus, Cincinnati, Toledo, Akron, Canton; (Kentucky) Covington; (Indiana) Richmond, Indianapolis.

His past life has been spent as a principal of schools, also as district superintendent of schools in Holmes County, Ohio. This has been principally his life work until last few years. He probably will be found as a salesman or office clerk. He was accustomed to "follow the races." He has recently represented himself as J. M. Miller, Millersburg, Ohio, as agent or salesman for the Real Silk Hosiery Mills of Indianapolis, Indiana. He stops at moderate priced hotels and has forged the name of "J. M. Miller," "S. B. Winston" and "Geo. B. Winston" to checks on The Farmers & Merchants Bank of Millersburg, Ohio, in payment of small bills at hotels. He is, presumably, without money.

If apprehended, arrest and notify party whose name is hereto signed who holds a warrant for him. If arrested in any other city will advise you immediately.

(Signed) E. C. HUDNET, Marshal,
Holmesville, Holmes County, Ohio.

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California Bankers Association

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
628 MILLS BUILDING, SAN FRANCISCO
TELEPHONE DOUGLAS 1716

Circular No. 299

March 8, 1924

Series 1923-24

(THIS CIRCULAR SHOULD BE INSERTED IN C. B. A. BINDER FOR REFERENCE)

She Comes and Goes!

*Promises to Move and Does—But the Bank Pays the Expense of the Excursion
Who Will Be the Next Victim?*

We do not criticize banks for making contributions, but we would like to divert such contributions from one unworthy beneficiary. We have several times issued warning notices regarding the operations of a very clever matron who has cashed at over thirty banks in California worthless checks in amounts varying from \$25 to \$40. (See Circulars 268, 276 and 296.) The personal appearance of this "lady" is disarming. She tells a plausible story and seldom uses the same name twice. So we don't publish a directory of her names here—they don't count.

Reproduction of one of her "No Account" checks is made here. The writing is always in the same bold hand of a distinctive type, easily recognizable. The endorsement is always affixed in smaller feminine handwriting. This handwriting should be carefully memorized.

She is described as forty to forty-five years; live feet five or six inches; 150 to 160 pounds; brown hair and eyes; medium complexion. She makes a good appearance.

Now, would you cash her check if this woman came to your bank and said: "I am Mrs. Jane Doe. My husband and I have for some time felt that we would like to live here and have concluded to take up our residence here. I have come ahead of him and have just rented a little house (or rooms) from Mrs. Blank, and will get this in readiness for my husband, who will come next week. We carry our bank account where we have been residing and I have a check here drawn by my husband in my favor that I would like to have you cash for me?" Possibly you would refuse,

but lots of other banks have cashed her checks and have found that she has moved—not to their town, but on her way.

In cases like this where a bank is defrauded through making advances to strangers against an uncollected item, our Protective Committee can not authorize expense of investigation by the Burns Agency. Therefore, we now earnestly urge members to co-operate in defense against this swindler. It is up to the next bank she calls upon to put an end to her worthless check career. Should she appear at your bank, detain her and notify your local authorities and the nearest office of the Burns Detective Agency, as well as this office.

Please have this circular read by each officer and paying teller in your bank.

Stolen Time Certificates of Deposit

In order that member banks may be on guard, the Bank of East San Diego informs us that two of its six months' time certificates of deposit—No. 106, favor of A. O. Snyder, for \$200; No. 107, favor of Emma J. Snyder, for \$600—were stolen in a daylight holdup by Mexicans, whom the bank feels may at some future time attempt to negotiate them.

Payment has been stopped on these certificates and duplicates issued.

Bond of Associated Oil Company Recovered

Permanent Bond No. 19349, in amount \$1000, of Associated Oil Company, twelve-year, 6 per cent gold note, with coupons attached, reported in our Circular No. 298, February 28, 1924, as lost, has been recovered.

Arrest. I hold Felony Warrant for the following party, using name of J. A. McFARLAND, described as:

(Passing Fictitious Checks)
38 years of age,
5 feet 7 inches,
160 pounds,
Dark hair,
Dark eyes,
Dark complexion,
Smooth shaven.

(Fridley & Blunt)

148

No. Feb 23rd 1924

Los Angeles, Cal. 1924

Pay to the order of Lucy Galloway \$ 38.00

Thos E. Galloway

Dollars

E. L. Galloway

Issued by Order

PROTECTIVE COMMITTEE, CALIFORNIA BANKERS ASSOCIATION

RED BLUFF CALIF 201P APR 11 192

CHIEF OF POLICE
SACRAMENTO.

Copy

HOLDING WARRANT FOR R S HAIGLER WANTED FOR PASSING BAD CHECK AGE 45
YEARS ABOUT 5 FT 6 IN HEIGHT 135 LBS SLIGHTLY GRAY HAIR KHAKI PANTS
NEW SIZE 32 - 29 NEW WALKOVER TAN SHOES SIZE 8 DARK COAT DARK HAT AR
REST AND NOTIFY. 150

MERRILL O BALLARD SHERIFF OF
TEHAMA COUNTY.

COPY DICKS
FISHER

ARREST THIS MAN FOR
FORGERY



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R. E. BRACKETT, alias ELMER J. FIELDS, Jr., American, age 25, height 5 ft. 8 in., weight 135 lbs, slender build, smooth shaven, complexion dark, hair and eyes dark, high cheek bones, good dresser, occupation real estate salesman and electrician. Frequents dance halls. Felony warrant on charge of forgery issued, two counts. Send Brackett or information concerning him to our Detective Bureau for Assistant Captain Winn.

BUREAU OF IDENTIFICATION
Visalia, Calif.

Circular No. 258

FORGERY

Joseph C. Powelson

Description: Age about 48 yrs., height about 5 ft. 6 ins., weight about 110 lbs., brown eyes, dark brown hair, very sallow complexion.

Last wearing greyish brown suit and overcoat, brown fedora hat, wool shirt. Although well dressed, this man looks like a narcotic.

Driving new Ford coupe. May be accompanied by young man about 24 yrs. old, dark hair and eyes.

Telegraph operator by occupation.

I hold felony warrant for Powelson. Arrest and wire.

R. L. HILL,

Sheriff Tulare County

Visalia, Calif.

Dated April 5, 1924.

Cancel circulars Nos. 221, 223, 224, 232, 239, Colyar on 247; J. A. Stevens and E. W. Close on 250, 253, 256.

April 10th, 1924.

WORTHLESS CHECK OPERATOR

NOTE OF OPERATION

Will register at your Hotel under the name of L. R. REDDEN & WIFE of Herdles, California, or Kingman, Arizona.

After being assigned to a room he will explain that his wife will be there shortly with baggage after familiarizing himself with the hotel he will approach the assistant manager or Clerk and present a check drawn on the Bank of Herdles for various amounts. Will show credentials of the Railroad Firemen's Association of Kingman Arizona, giving his true name as L. R. Redden.

Carries no baggage, wears Elks Pin in Lapel of his coat. L. R. REDDEN is described as follows:

Age - 27
5 ft. 10 in. high
Slight complexion
Slender build
Blond hair

Wears whip cord light tan suit - soft crushed hat - sometimes a cap - Elks pin in lapel of coat - always shows his credentials.

(Above sample of sign one)

In this party callers at your Hotel, detain and notify the San Francisco Police Department, and this office

HARRY LUTHER HITCHCOCK DETECTIVE AGENCY

361 - 357 - Phelan Building

PHONE: gutter 257

WITNESSED: Franklin 9386



Arrest for Felony

Issuing Fictitious Checks

C. M. HUDSON, an American age 25 to 30 years, height about 5 feet 4 inches, weight 135 to 145 pounds, smooth shaven, blue or grey eyes, brown hair, square features, pug nose. When last seen was wearing a blue serge suit and a black soft Fedora Hat.

This man putting out checks on the American National Bank of San Bernardino and to these checks he has been signing the name C. W. Wood. Also putting out fictitious cashier's checks on the Marine Bank and Trust Company of New Orleans, La.

I hold felony warrant, arrest and notify,

W. A. SHAY, Sheriff

CANCEL CARD NO. 377—RECOVERED
CANCEL CIRCULAR NO. 374—ARRESTED

OFFICE OF

CITY MARSHAL

REDDING, CALIF.

March 21st 1924

Chief of Police

No 1 About 5 ft 9, thin dark face, weight 140 dark clothes and hat, white collar.

No 2 pardner, about 5 ft 6 or 7 wore brown suit neat appearance Drw checks in favor of R H Murray and R A Murray and signed by L W Wright and L C Baker, in the sum of \$8 50 each all checks for the same amount.

They left Marine overcoat in room in which was sharpshooter medal name G Wilson, Fordise Texas, and one U S Marine Corps Badge, Lloy J Myers, No 72493 - 1st enlistment, -1920 -1921

Arrest and notify

W. J. Hammann
City Marshal

Checks used here was Redding National Bank check

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Arrest, I hold Felony Warrants for the following described parties:-

Ray Victor Cook, alias Claud Willis, J. E. Jenkins, Ray Clark,
Claud Winters, M. C. Claudius.

20 years of age,
5 feet 6 inches, (Passing Fictitious Checks.)
140 pounds,
Auburn hair,
Grey eyes,
Fair complexion, freckled face, smooth shaven,
Said to be a pugilist.

This fellow passes checks on grocery stores and meat markets, generally in early evening--uses large check form. Makes checks payable to fictitious person and signs fictitious names. Checks are mostly in amounts from \$12.50 to \$18.00.

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Raymond D. Terry.

30 years of age, (Passing Fictitious Checks.)
5 feet 5 inches,
135 pounds,
Sandy hair,
Blue eyes,
Light complexion, smooth shaven,
When here was wearing a small Charley Chaplin moustache.

It is reported that this fellow has been in same kind of trouble in some place in State of Iowa.

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Tom LaBrea, alias Ed. Conn.

20 to 25 years of age, (Passing Fictitious Checks.)
About 5 feet 10 inches,
About 150 pounds,
Light complexion, smooth shaven,

Passed two checks in this city, using check form of a local bank, check written on typewriter, checks supposedly issued by local plumbing firm, firm name typed at bottom of check with "Ed. Conn" written above. In each case he gave his auto number to party cashing check and inquiry shows that autos belonged to "Auto for Hire" agency in Los Angeles.

Wanted
For Forgery

159 Jim E. Bassett

Age, 38; Height, 5 feet 10; Weight, about 160; Dark Complexion; Dark Hair; Right thumb nail crushed and black; Right Jaw has been broken and sunken in; Nose broken and slightly flat, appears to have a scar or a red mark where nose and lip meet. Very talkative; Auto mechanic. Claims to have a brother, Bob Bassett, a salesman for the Buick people at Seattle, Washington. Claims to have run a wash rack for the Studebaker people in Seattle in 1923 and at that time lived in Kirkland, near Seattle.

ARREST, HOLD AND WIRE

L. L. LOW, Sheriff
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Santa Barbara, Calif

April 10, 1924.

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CIRCULAR NO. 6030

WANTED FOR FICTITIOUS CHECKS---George Miller or
Raymond Dexter.

AGE - about 22.
Dark brown hair.
HEIGHT - 5'6".
Neat Dresser.
Very talkative.

Miller passed a number of checks on the Boyd Lumber Company of this City, he also visited San Luis Obispo and put over the same checks; all of the checks were for \$27.50, which he claimed was his week's pay.

Miller will order flowers, hardware or other articles delivered to some fictitious place, paying for them with a check and receiving change; While here, he told the merchants that he was having all of these things sent to his Mother.

WARRANT ISSUED.

Wire all information collect.

L. DESGRANDCHAMPS,

Chief of Police.

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PAY TO *Raymond Dexter* FOR ORDER \$ 27.50
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DOLLARS
Lumber Company
Raymond Dexter
1229 Barb. St.

Indorsement →

April 3, 1924.

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Chief of Police,
Sacramento, Calif.

161

Dear Sir:-

I hold felony warrant, charging FORGERY, also one for Failure to Provide for Minor Children, for one PETE SCHARON, described, as follows:-

Age 30 years, height 5'8", weight 190 lbs; light hair, blue eyes, smooth shaven, fair complexion, crippled foot which causes him to limp considerably.

This man has a Ford Touring Car, 1917 Model, License 231-278 (1923) Engine 1843414, which he may be driving and he is supposed to be in company with one Louise Lynn. We have just received information that this man has gone to your city. Please investigate and see if you can locate him for us; if so, a arrest, hold and notify at my expense and Officer will be sent for his return to this city.

Thanking you for giving this your attention, I remain,

Very respectfully,

MRJ-LR

Chief of Police.

P. S. This man is a bootlegger and will be found hanging around bootleg joints.

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Respectfully,

F. B. Kutz, Supt.,
Bureau of Identification.
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Long Beach, California.

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Chief of Police,
Sacramento, Calif. 168

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Thanking you for giving this your attention, I remain,
Very respectfully,

MRL:LR

Chief of Police.

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CIRCULAR NO. 6030

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WARRANT ISSUED.

Wire all information collected.

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BOYD LUMBER & MILL CO.
36 EAST MASON STREET

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

OF SAN LUIS OBISPO

SANTA BARBARA, CALIF.

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1924

PAY TO *Raymond Dwyer* OR ORDER \$ *27.50*

NOT OVER TWENTY EIGHT DOLLARS & 25 CENTS

DOLLARS

Raymond Dwyer

1229 Basile St.

San Luis Obispo, Cal.

Raymond Dwyer
1229 Basile St.

Indorsement →

BUREAU OF IDENTIFICATION
Police Dept. Pasadena, Cal.

CIRCULAR NO. 168

CHECKS

April 10, 1924.

162 I hold warrant for L. L. Graham passing checks returned marked "Has no account". This party has been identified as, Lord L. Graham, Long Beach #2495.

SO #447
Age: 34
Height: 5-9
Weight: 152
Hair: bk chst
Eyes: Med chst
Complex: medium
Occup: Salesman
F.R.C: 9/2 R/R II/II 11/6

Checks on following page.

163 Edward Taylor, alias Theodore P. McLarrey, passing checks on the Bank of Italy returned "Has no account". Picking on the Sam Seelig Grocery Stores.

Age: 40 to 45
Height: About 5-6
Weight: 165
Hair: Black
Complex: Dark

164 Wearing a dark grey suit and cap, is very friendly, gains the confidence of merchants.

Henry (Hippial) Rasmussen, passing checks Bank of Italy, \$150.00 returned "No account" claims he is a seaman discharged from the U.S.S. West Zula and has been hanging around different Naval Reserve Headquarters.

Age: 28
Weight: 175
Height: 5-11 to 6-0
Hair: Reddish brown
Eyes: Light brown
Complex: Ruddy

165 Parents at one time lived in Fresno, California.

Henry C. Forbes, cashing Citizens Bank of Alhambra checks in amounts around \$14.00 or \$15.00. "Returned "Has no account"

Age: 60
Height: About 5-6
Weight: 140
Hair: Greyish
Eyes: Greyish
Complex: Fair

Wearing a mustache.

166 Robert LeMarr, forging the name of Dr. Chas. Lowry on the Security National Bank and Citizens Savings Bank, small checks but many of them. Also wanted in Los Angeles Police Department and Burns Detective Agency.

Age: 22
Height: 5-5 to 5-7
Weight: 135-140
Hair: Dark
Eyes: Dark
Complex: Dark

Wearing a dark suit of clothes, thin face and very nervous. In one place he had a bandage on his wrist claiming he had just come from the doctor's office.

167 Party using the name of Ray Price also C.S. Bauman, using checks Bauman & Company on the Union Bank & Trust Company of Los Angeles, that are returned "Refer to the Maker". No description available.

Any information on the above described parties will be appreciated.

H. A. MUPPHY
Inspector of Police.

Yours very truly,

CHARLES H. KELLEY
Chief of Police.

CIR # 60

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Santa Barbara, Calif.
April 26th, 1924.

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FICTITIOUS CHECKS

Mrs. Della Raymond, age about 25 years, American, height about 5 feet 4 inches, weight 120 to 125 pounds, sallow complexion, light brown bobbed hair. Is wearing a black skirt, white waist, long tan coat, tan colored hat. Has a boy with her whom she claims as her son, age about 5 years.

She was seen in Bannings, California, on March 17th, in company with a man, where they put over a check, payable to Ida Baker, signed C. F. Anderson, on a Citizens National Bank check, Riverside, California, also a number of others.

The man is described as being 30 to 35 years of age, weight 160 pounds, height 5 feet 10 inches, sandy complexion, slightly stooped, scar and squint in right eye.

They are driving a 1918 or 1920 Chevrolet car.

These people are badly wanted and any information as to their whereabouts will be greatly appreciated.

SAM RYAN, Sheriff
Riverside County,
Riverside, California.

171 DANGEROUS FORGER OPERATING ON MERCHANTS AND BANKS

Will purchase a bill of goods, and present a pay roll check drawn on the Union Trust Company of San Francisco, Calif., for different amounts.

CHECKS REMD AS FOLLOWS:

(Pay Roll)

San Francisco, Calif.
June 7th, 1924.

Pay to the order of - GEO. M. JONES - - - - - \$90.00

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DOLLARS

Signed - Jeffery Schweitzer
President - Treasurer

Signed - Geo. F. Drake
Vice President

Check endorsed *Geo M. Jones*

(copy of his
signature)

This party claims to be a salesman for the Drake Lock Nut Co., and carries a fake letter of introduction signed by Mr. Drake. Gives his address at 1717 Leavenworth St

DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

172
Age 40 - Eyes brown - Height 5 ft. 9 in.
Weight 165 lbs. - medium build - smooth
shaven - Hair dark slightly grey -
complexion dark - wears tortoise shell
rim glasses - small rims - looks very
dissipated. Occupation Salesman or Accountant.

Wears blue serge suit, brown fedora hat
light grey overcoat.

If located notify the San Francisco Police
Department or this Office.

June 10, 1924 HARRY LUBBOCK DETECTIVE AGENCY
357 - Phelan Building. S.F.

CULAR No. 12.

Marysville, Calif., May 29, 1924

WANTED FOR BAD CHECKS.

D. E. CARTER AND WIFE

173
D. E. Carter described as follows: 35 or 40 years, about 5 feet 10 inches, weight about 160 pounds, rough complexion, tall and stooped shoulders, wearing a black slouch hat, dark blue striped shirt, soft collar, wearing a vest no coat.

173-A
Mrs. Carters description: age about 25 or 30 years, weight about 115 pounds, light complexion, neatly dressed, has a boy with her whom she claims as her son, age about 5 years.

Mode of Operandi: each of them separately called on several of our merchants on Friday, May 23rd, 1924, and would pick out some article and have merchant lay it aside stating that Carter was a carpenter and was working in Yuba City, and he would get his pay check on Saturday and would pay for the same with his check, which they were true to their word, get the articles and balance in money, the checks were for amounts from \$20.00 to \$35.00 each.

They have in their possession a 21 jewel, screw case Gents Burlington Watch, movements No. 3981484, Works 9269805.

Apparently these are the same parties wanted by Sam Ryan, Sheriff of Riverside

County, Circular No. 883, and also by G. M. Hogin, Sheriff of Stanislaus County, Circular No. 43. They are supposed to be traveling in an Auto going north and camping out.

Carter and wife have a boy with them about 5 years old, brown eyes, light hair. This child is mischievous (expectorates on anything of value that happens to be in his way).

The above man and woman passed a number of bad checks in this City, Saturday, May 24th., 1924. They go into a business house about the middle of the week and make their selections, returning on Saturday afternoon after banking hours, tendering a check for about double the amount of the purchase, receiving the balance in cash.

The man going to a "Lady's Dress Goods Store" and purchasing a dress for his wife. The lady going to a Hardware Store and purchasing carpenter tools for the husband, claiming him to be a carpenter and building contractor.

These parties may be traveling in a Chevrolet Car.

WANTED FOR BAD CHECKS

O. M. Kiserman, Chief of Police Salinas, June 9, 1924.

Mrs. R. L. Stephens described as follows: age about 25 or 30 years; weight about 115 pounds; medium complexion; neatly dressed in a navy blue taffeta silk dress, with cream lace down the front; has a boy with her supposedly her son about 5 years of age, dressed in a tan crash suit with a brown cap. Apparently these are the same parties described in Sheriff Charles McCoy's Circular No. 12.

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June 10, 1924 HARRY LUBBOCK DETECTIVE AGENCY.
357 - Phelan Building. S.F.

Marysville, Calif., May 29, 1924

WANTED FOR BAD CHECKS.

MARYSVILLE, CALIFORNIA

P. O. S. Sheriff

WANTED FOR PASSING FICTITIOUS CHECKS, A FELONY.

173-B

Mrs. D. E. Carter, age about 30, height 5 ft. 4 inches, weight about 115 lbs., black eyes, sallow complexion, prominent cheek bones, peg tooth with gold band upper front. Has peculiar way of winking right eye, probably nervous affliction, and possibly affected. Wearing old style wedding ring. Dressed when here in "Rose colored Crepe dress. No doubt has a number of changes.

173-C

D. E. Carter, 35 to 40 years, height 5 ft. 10 inches, weight 165 lbs., medium complexion, slight squint in one eye.

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Geo. M. Sparks

DESCRIPTION

Age about 65 years. Six feet tall, slender build, 165 pounds, gray white hair, short gray moustache, mouth draws little to right when talking, as if trying to make speech extra clear, had slight bronchial cough, had extra fine brown cowhide traveling bag, dark clothes, very neat, exceptionally smooth and genuine grafter.

On May 10, 1924, this man passed a bogus bank draft on a Boise business man on the National Bank of Commerce of New York by the First National Bank of Colton, Calif., in the sum of \$2800.00, which draft was returned immediately, marked "Fraudulent."

I hold Felony warrant and will extradite. I want this man badly and will appreciate any efforts made towards his apprehension.

Boise, Idaho

L. E. ALLUMBAUGH, Sheriff.

Description of

C. EARL McFEE

C. E. McPhee or 180
C. Earl McPhee, alias
C. E. McPherson;

About thirty-one years old; five feet and nine inches tall; weight about 155 pounds; light complexion; light hair; smooth face; bridge work on teeth in front; wears bloodstone ring; blue serge suit, thin red stripe in same; green soft hat; high tan shoes, green gold Hamilton watch, automobile mechanic by trade.



C. EARL McFEE



MRS. BEULAH HOPE.

Description of

MRS. BEULAH HOPE.

180-A

Mrs. Beulah Hope, or Mrs. Louis Hope, alias Mrs. C. E. McPherson. About 34 years old; about five feet ten inches tall; weighs about 215 pounds; fair complexion; light hair; loud talker; active and noisy sort of character; good dresser; likes picture shows and theatres; can drive any kind of automobile; rough and boisterous.

THE above described man and woman left Tampa, Fla., Tuesday, January 29, 1924. The woman is wanted on warrant charging forgery and obtaining money under false pretenses and the man on warrant for desertion and non-support.

\$50.00 will be paid for arrest of Mrs. Hope.
\$50.00 will be paid for arrest of C. E. McFee.

Any information will be investigated and treated strictly confidential.

ARREST, HOLD AND NOTIFY BY WIRE:

FRED THOMAS NATIONAL DETECTIVE AGENCY
TAMPA, FLORIDA

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WANTED ON FELONY WARRANT...
P. F. 10, charging ISSUING FICTITIOUS CHECKS, described as
28 years, height 6', weight 160 lbs; light hair, smooth shaven,
light complexion; was well dressed in dark clothing.



J. W. CARSON, 45 years old, height 6 ft., weight 200 lbs., hair dark and bald, eyes grey, complexion dark, good looking and good dresser, inveterate cigarette smoker, always wears a four-in-hand necktie, jerks his head when talking, uses following expression when talking, "You know what I mean." Is a painter and paperhanger contractor, also an auctioneer. Carries union card from Painters Local, at Laramie, Wyoming.

His wife and daughter are with him. His wife is a small woman weighing about 110 lbs. Daughter is about 10 years old and has heart trouble, frequently visits a doctor. They have a young white French poodle dog.

Traveling in a new Overland touring car, 1924 California License No. 191-667, Motor No. 39326.

While in this city Carson contracted several jobs of painting and paperhanging and on his last job paid off his men with bad checks. In several instances he received money to pay for

paint and paper, from party having work done, and appropriated same to his own use.

This man has a pleasing personality and is a smooth worker and will no doubt use same method of operation elsewhere.

Arrest, hold and wire me. I hold warrant and want him badly.
Stockton, California.

March 19, 1924.

WM. H. RIECKS, Sheriff.

Circular No. 753—Second Issue.

#2109.

Stockton, California May 14th 1924.

Mr. Bernard McShane,
Chief of Police,
Sacramento, Calif.

Dear Sir:—

I hold felony warrant, charge Passing Fictitious Checks, for the following described man:— F. R. DeVOE may go under name of WEBSTER; 40 to 45 years; about 5 ft. 6 in.; 135 to 140 lbs.; bluish grey eyes; hair turning grey; medium complexion; smooth shaven; wore grey suit, light felt hat. This man conducted a Beauty Culture and Marcelling shop in this city and left here on May 10th for your city, where he most likely will follow the same business.

He is accompanied by his wife who is described as follows: about 35 years; about 5 ft. 5 in.; about 145 lbs.; stout build; dark complexion; dark hair.

CIR # 6067.

SANTA BARBARA, CALIF.
May 15th, 1924.

WANTED-----C.O. DEAN, alias L.E. Thompson, & Monfort

Age 45 to 50
Height 5'11
Weight 170 to 80
Smooth shaven.
Laundry man. (Expert washer)

Charge Forgery.

Police Department--Long Beach, Calif.
Bulletin

Sheriff's Office

NATIONAL BUREAU
IDENTIFICATION

Circular Number 390



Sheriff's Office
San Bernardino, California
MAY 5, 1924

Arrest for Felony

ISSUING FICTITIOUS CHECKS

C. S. SUMMER, an American, age 25, height 5 feet 6 or 7 inches, weight about 140 pounds, smooth shaven, fair complexion, brown hair, blue or grey eyes; generally wears a brown suit and brown soft hat.

Is putting out checks drawn on the Bank of Italy, Ontario, this county, to which he is signing the name C. S. Summer.

Police Department---Long Beach, Calif.
Bulletin #41. Apr. 28th, 1924.

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Arrest, I hold Felony Warrants for the following named and described parties:-

E. B. Kennedy and Helen Kennedy, names used in this city, true names William Knight and Bessie Marie Knight.

E. B. Kennedy,
33 years of age,
5 feet 7½ inches,
135 pounds,
Dark hair, greying,
Light Brown eyes,
Swarthy complexion, smooth shaven,
Described to us as having slender face and head.
Wore, while here, light mixed suit of clothing, light Fedora hat.

Claims to be an interior decorator by occupation.

Helen Kennedy,
28 years of age, 155-A
5 feet 6 inches,
135 pounds,
Black hair,
Brown eyes,
Olive complexion,
Wore, while here, silk crepe dress, metal turban hat.

These two people select some article of jewelry, she making out check for even amount of sale; he then tells her that she hasn't enough money in bank until a draft, which he shows fictim, is presented at bank the following morning. Generally merchant honors check on strength of draft. They have with them a six or seven months old baby and during conversation tells about the baby being treated by some local chiropractor, naming some well known doctor. Amounts of checks are large, amounts running from \$150.00 to \$350.00; checks are all passed around 5:30 P.M. Kennedy wears an Elks emblem as identification. I have reason to believe that these people are wanted in New York, Kansas City, San Francisco, Glendale, San Bernardino, Balboa Beach and numerous other places in the West.

The favored jewelry stores, department stores, grocery stores and auto for hire agency in this city. Total loss in this city about \$1,500.00. I am inclosing copy of kodak photo which has been identified as photo of the people mentioned above.

Circular No. 171

May 2, 1924.

CHECKS

I hold warrant for the following described person for Forgery and Fictitious Checks:

H. W. JENNINGS

Checks on the Security National Bank in the amount of \$27.00, signed by Victor J. De. Claims to be shingler working for the above named firm and that this is his pay check.

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Plum:

Eyes: .

Clothing: Grey hat, dark suit

H. C. HAM

Using the names of J. C. McDONALD, L. E. SHERWOOD, J. PRESTON, C. L. PERGUSON, W. B. HARRISON, C. M. McGILL, J. C. REMMUTT, checks on the Federal Southwest Bank, Pasadena Branch, for different amounts. Claims to be selling stock in the C. Owen Day Decorating Co. and has stung quite a number of victims. Different amounts and all kinds of story.

С. 10

Weight: 2.20

5-9

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Blues:

comp2x: List

Looks like a low cut shirt. Clothing: Grey suit and dark hat

Eight German accent, very boastful in his manner and large foot. May be traveling with a woman, claims to be his wife no description available. When here used a Ford Touring car #276-938. This car was finished with a stippling effect to kind of show off his decorating.

HARRY J. RYLS

Checks signed by C. C. BREW, or C. C. DOVE, checks on the cashier's office of the Pacific National Bank of Los Angeles. These are mostly in the amount of \$30.00. These checks are returned marked "Stolen checks", from the Whical Company, Cn. South Glencree street, Los Angeles. This fellow is picking on tailors and clothing stores.

ge: 20

eight: 140

weight: 5-8

Example: TiO_2

0.47:

yes: 87%

Clothing: Dark brown suit, shiek style

Police Department---Long Beach, Calif.
Bulletin #537.
May 1st, 1924.

Arrest, I hold Felony Warrants for the following described party:

W. R. Denton.

About 40 years of age,
5 feet 7 inches,
140 or 145 pounds,
Dark eyes,
Brown hair,
Light complexion,
Wearing small moustache.

Dressed very neatly. When last seen wore brown suit, wears
spats, shell rim glasses. Has silver mounted cane with crook.

This fellow rented a cottage from a resident of this city, said he would pay 3 months rent in advance, then asked for a years lease; was told he could have a years lease if first and last months rent were paid. This was satisfactory to him and arranged to meet people at the Bank of Italy (Long Beach) next day, April 12th, and \$350.00 in escrow. At bank he presented a check to landlord for \$350.00, landlord endorsed it and the 3 months rent was paid land- lord and then collected balance, \$200.00. Check was drawn on a bank in New York City and in due course of time was returned as "No Account."

I think that this fellow is same as W. R. Dodson, wanted by Santa Barbara Police (Circular #6034, date of 4/18/24) for similar offense.

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LABERNAT

Cir. B-263.

May 27, 1924.

W A N T E D

I hold Felony Warrants charging Fict. Checks and Forgery for the following described persons:

1906
REID, Mrs. John 45; 5ft6"; 135; med. build; dark hair and eyes; has bad feet. Victimized shoe stores.

1906
HEWITT, Warren 30; 5ft6"; 190; stocky build; brown hair and eyes; smooth talker. Picks on Drug Stores.

1906
MOON, O. J. 21; 5ft6"; 160; build stout; red hair; Prize-fighter; Works on Service Stations. Drives a Ford Coupe.

1906
RANKIN, W. H. 30; 5ft11"; 180; med. build; blue-gray eyes; brown hair; speaks with southern brogue; occ: Auto Salesman.

1906
DELMAN, J. L. 28; 5ft8"; 150; build med.; bro. hair; bro. eyes; dark compl.; occ: Truckdriver. Stutters slightly.

1906
MOORE, Gail 33; 5ft8"; 150; build med.; bro. hair and eyes; occ: Confectioner. Speaks w/ southern brogue.

1906
TOWNSEND, Mrs Ora Jane, 50; 5ft4"; 135; Claims to be with the Salvation Army.

1906
ILES, S. E. 25; 5ft9"; 155; build med.; brown hair; blue eyes; fair compl.; occ: Lab.

1906
FOSS, W. H. 24; 5ft6"; 130; slender build; dk. hair; lt. compl.

1906
BROWN, Lester N. 40; 5ft11"; 145; sl. build; dark hair; brown eyes; dark compl.; occ: Salesman. Picks on Garages.

1906
BOARDMAN, W. C. 48; 5ft9"; 165; stout build; light hair; med. compl.; occ: Traveling Salesman.

1906
BRAGG, W. R. → *likely same as LQ#42463.* 45; 6ft; 180; build med.; gray hair; blue eyes; high cheek bones; occ: Carpenter. Works telegram Cag.

1906
GRAY, Chas. 35; 5ft8"; 150; brown hair; gray eyes.

1906
GARCIA, J. 33; 5ft10"; 135; build slender; black hair; dk. brown eyes; complexion light for Mex., occ: Lab.

1906
GREEN, V. E. 23; 5ft8"; 115; build slender; dark hair; brown eyes; dark compl.; occ: Carpenter.

1906
HAYNES, Chas. H. 21; 5ft6"; 135; med. build.; brown hair; blue eyes; gold teeth in front; occ: Laborer.

1906
HOLLINGSHEAD, Roy 26; 5ft4"; 125; brown hair; blue eyes; fair compl.; build medium; occ: Waiter.

1906
KELLY, J. A. alias Norman Kelly 28; 5ft6"; 135; brown hair; brown eyes; build medium; wears riding clothes and boots, gray fedora hat.

1906
LAIRELORE, C. D. 21; 5ft8"; 160; build med.; lt. brown hair; blue eyes; dark compl.; occ: Fairhand.

1906
MARTEEZ, Lupe 40; 5ft4"; 140; build medium; black hair; dark brown eyes; occ: Lab.

1906
MORILLO, Joe C. 28; 5ft7"; 150; build medium; light hair; blue eyes; occ: Cook.

1906
OLIVER, H. E. 40; 5ft4"; 125; slender build; brown hair; gray eyes; med. compl.; occ: Lab.

1906
WATSON, D. A. *Especially in Falsom* 65; 5ft8"; 200; build stout; gray hair; gray beard; medium compl.; occ: Real Estate Salesman.

1906
MOLLERS, W. J. 40; 5ft7"; 130; light compl.; build med.; dark hair; brown eyes; occ: Butcher.

1906
ABERNATHY, W. S. 22; 5ft7"; 150; build medium; dark hair; dark eyes; dark compl.; scar right cheek; occ: Oilworker and Dairy Man.

Case dismissed 4/5/27
TRIPPE, A. M. 1914 28; 5ft6"; 125; build med.; light hair; blue eyes; medium compl.; occ: Butcher.

If any of these people are located, please arrest, hold them and notify me, will send for them.

SAM JERNIGAN.
Sheriff.

W. Zabel.
H. of Ident.



CIR # 6035.
J.D. ROY...
Age about 21.
Height 5'8" or 9.
Brown eyes.
Brown hair.
Dark complexion.
Not forged a check for \$6.00 Warrant issued.
Charge Forgery.

Blue
Eyes: Blue
Clothing: Dark brown suit, shiek style

Mail Box Thieves Forge Checks.

TWO GIRLS INVOLVED! OPERATE AT OMAHA, NEBRASKA.

Two women, using various aliases, have been reported from many different parts of the United States within the past year as having defrauded banks by use of forged checks, and the investigations made disclosed that letter boxes had been rifled and checks thus secured had been used as information in the preparation of spurious checks. It is apparent that the gang is in possession of a mail box key.

Circular letters, relative to the operations of this gang, were issued by the Inspector in Charge, Cincinnati, Ohio, September 29, 1923; by the Inspector in Charge, Spokane, Washington, October 16, 1923; and by the American Bankers' Association Journal in September, 1923, and May, 1924.

The women suspected are described as follows:

193 No. 1 17 or 18 years old, height, 5 feet 4 inches; weight, 100 pounds; build, slender; complexion, light; hair, brown. Good appearance and a snappy talker.

193-A No. 2 22 or 23 years old, height, 5 feet 3 inches; weight, 110 pounds; build, medium; complexion, dark; hair, black; has a round, full face and is attractive.

On the evening of March 4, 1924, an Omaha, Nebraska, firm mailed a number of letters, some containing checks, in a nearby mail receptacle which was later rifled of its contents. Subsequently a check for \$70.00, apparently issued by the firm mailing the letters, was cashed by some woman, and as the writing thereon so closely resembled the writing of the member of the firm who issued the check, the forgery was not discovered until the firm checked over their checking account and found they had not given one of that description. The check was drawn ostensibly to a member of a family of the firm. When the forgery was discovered a description of the woman could not be recalled. Below are sample endorsements on two of the forged checks:

Sarah, M. Rosenblum *Gene Johnson*
105-5740 ST *13250th Base*

In order to checkmate these bandits it is very necessary that postmasters, bankers and police officers bear them in mind, and promptly report to this office or to any post office inspector, information in regard to their operations.

REWARD

The Government offers a reward of not exceeding \$200.00, for information leading to the arrest and conviction of any person stealing from any public receptacle for mail matter.

Case 62838-D
Kansas City, Mo., May 26, 1924.

L. A. JOHNSON,
Inspector in Charge.

Police Department---Long Beach, Calif.
Bulletin #596. June 5th, 1924.

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Nick Harris Detectives

LOS ANGELES OFFICE, TOP FLOOR PANTAGES THEATRE BLDG
H. E. HURLEY, Supt. Bad Check Dept.

SAN PEDRO
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HOLLYWOOD
PASADENA

PHONE
Metropolitan

ERCHANTS--If any person attempts to pass check described below, detain on some pretext (without accus phone local office and agent will be sent and assumes charge.

BULLETIN # 337, INDEX #4279, MAY 15th, 1924.

W.L. STU'S, alias EARL J. FRASER.
CHECKS DRAWN ON PACIFIC SOUTHWEST AND MARINE BANK OF OCEAN PARK, ARE RETURNED "NO ACCT". CHECKS ARE MADE PAYABLE TO OR BEAR SIGNATURE OF W. L. STU'S. GIVES VEHICLE ADDRESS BUT IS UNKNOWN. SEE FACSIMILE:

Earl J. Fraser OR *W. L. Stu* (\$104.20)

1924 BULLETIN #337, INDEX #4307, MAY 15th, 1924.

VAN R.H. STERNBOGH.
CHECKS DRAWN ON PACIFIC SOUTHWEST, HOLLYWOOD BR., ARE RETURNED "NO FUNDS". CLAIMS TO BE IN CONTRACTOR SUPPLY BUSINESS. AGE ABOUT 30, 5FT.11", 195 LBS. GIVES ADDRESS VISALIA. SEE FACSIMILE:

Van R.H. Sternbogh

BULLETIN #337, INDEX #4264, MAY 15th, 1924.

SAMUEL R. HOGGAN,
CUSTOMER'S DRAFT OF CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK, DRAWN ON CONTINENTAL NATIONAL BANK, SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH, SIGNED SAMUEL R. HOGGAN. ARE RETURNED "NO ACCT". DID LIVE AT BARBARA HOTEL, BUT NOT THERE NOW. SEE FACSIMILE:

(Salt Lake City) Samuel R. Hoggan
1924 BULLETIN #337, INDEX #4281, MAY 15th, 1924.

M.C.C. CARR,
COUNTER CHECKS DRAWN ON BANK OF ITALY, 7th & OLIVE, ARE RETURNED "HAS NO ACCT." GIVES ADDRESS NORTH "ESTERN AVENUE. SEE FACSIMILE:

m. c. c. carr.

WANTED-
Age 20-25
Height 5' 6"
Weight 150 lbs
Black hair
Black eyes
Upper lip
Wears a
When was
rooms. I

Police Department---Long Beach, Calif.
Bulletin #596. June 5th, 1924.

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Arrest, I hold Felony Warrants for the following described parties:-

196a EDGAR JENNINGS. (Case #3916)

20 years of age,
About 5 feet 10 inches,
About 145 pounds,
Auburn hair,
Blue eyes,
Light complexion, freckled.

Passed check on local merchant, forging his brother's name to check.

(Fridley & Blunt)

196b C. WESLEY WILLIAMS. (Case #3972)

28 years of age,
About 6 feet in height,
About 165 pounds,
Auburn hair,
Dark eyes,
Dark complexion, smooth shaven,

Wears dark suit of clothing--seldom wears white collar,
generally shirt open at neck.

Passed check on local merchant, making purchase, receiving cash in difference between amount of purchase and amount of check.
Gave address which proves to be a vacant lot.

GEORGE CALL

May go by name of Clyde Kellogg

Aged about 27 years, height 5 ft. 6 or 7 inches. weight about 135 lbs.; smooth shaven, medium build, sandy hair; nativity American, claims to be a laborer.

Was dressed in dark suit, light cap. Will come into a store after banking hours, make a small purchase and pay with check of \$30.00 or \$35.00, and receive the change. This fellow passed checks at Santa Barbara April 4th, and on April 5th passed four checks here.

Keep a look-out for this fellow, arrest and wire—I hold felony warrant for forgery.

Dated at San Luis Obispo, Cal.,
April 29th, 1924.

CHAS. J. TAYLOR, Sheriff,
San Luis Obispo County, California.

CIR # 6072

WANTED

Age about 25 yrs.
Height about 100 pounds.
About 5' tall.

Mrs Hansen cashed a number of checks around town, and claimed to be from Ventura, Calif. she had with her a small girl about 4 years old.

WARRANT ISSUED.

CIR # 6073.

194-A

WANTED

ALFRED PACHECO. Chg Forgery.

Age about 25 years.

Height 6'1

Weight 155 pounds.

Ruddy complexion.

Black hair.

Upper front teeth mostly gold.

Wears army trousers.

When walking he has a lanky stride.

Spanish descent, and will probably be found around pool.

rooms. Term hard by occupation.

Alfred Pacheco

Santa Barbara, Cal.
May 21st, 1924.

Santa Barbara, Calif
April 18, 1924.

CIR # 6034.

ARREST, W.R. DODSON

Charge Forgery.

Age 38 to 40 yrs,
Medium height.
Dark complexion.
Very black hair.

Maroon eyes.

Wears a Charlie Chaplin mustache.

M.C. Dodson rented a house for one year, and was to pay the rent the first of each quarter he gave a check on a Detroit Bank for \$500 and received \$245 in change.

ARREST FOR GRAND LARCENY Warrant Issued



3188
THOMAS JAMES O'HARA, American, age 32 years, height 5 feet 9 inches, weight 138 lbs., dark brown hair, bald on top, slender build.
Wore 2 piece brown suit, belt with gold buckle, gray cap. Occupation, boxer.
This man secured, on two fictitious checks, a Fiat touring car, 1924 model, license No. 353099, engine No. 3950. Felony warrant has been issued. Report any information to the Detective Bureau. (Underwood and Howard.)

Wanted on a Felony Warrant charging "Fict. Checks".

H. STUART HAGLE.
American
age: 28 to 30 yrs.
hgt.: about 6 feet
wgt.: 180 lbs.
medium build
dark compl.
occ. Carpenter
Passed several checks in this county

using the above name.

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Metropolis

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BULLETIN #336, INDEX #4261, MAY 3rd, 1924.

MRS. M. STEPHENS.
CHECKS DRAWN ON BANK OF ITALY, MODesto BRANCH. ARE REP-
TURNED "NO FUNDS". GIVEN AS ADDRESS EITHER "MODesto" OR 824
N. 57th. SEE FACSIMILE.

Mrs. M. Stephens

BULLETIN #336, INDEX #4206, MAY 3rd, 1924.

REYNATH MANUFACTURING CO. (FORGERY).
CHECKS DRAWN ON THE PACIFIC SOUTHERN BANK, SOUTH
PARK & VERNON BLDG., BEARING SIGNATURE C. THOMAS REYNATH. CHECKS
PAYABLE TO "BERT STENGER". AS ADDRESS EITHER 1021 W. 25th.
SEE FACSIMILE.

REYNATH MANUFACTURING CO.

C. Thomas Reynath

BULLETIN #336, INDEX #4284, MAY 3rd, 1924.

MRS. FAY FARAGHER.
CHECKS DRAWN ON "GENEALITY TRUST", ARE RETURNED "N.B.F."
LANKERSHIM HOTEL AS ADDRESS, BUT NOT RETURNED. SEE FACSIMILE.

Mrs. Fay Faragher

BULLETIN #336, INDEX #4267, MAY 3rd, 1924.

MRS. HENRY LEWY.
CHECKS DRAWN ON BANK OF ITALY, L.F. LTD. "O.A.C.T." GIVES
VARIOUS ADDRESSES. CHECKS FOR SMALL AMOUNTS. SEE FACSIMILE.

Mrs. Henry Lewy

BULLETIN #336, INDEX #4305, MAY 3rd, 1924.

THE BELL EVANS OIL CO.
CHECKS DRAWN ON FIRST STATE BANK OF SAN JUAN, CALIFORNIA
ARE FORGERIES. CHECKS MADE PAYABLE TO "RICH D. EVANS, JUNIOR."
SEE FACSIMILE.

*The Bell Evans Oil Co.
per by Ray
Supt*

Circular #23-10 Dan. Cord of P.O. Richmond, Cal. June 2, 1924.
Fictitious Check Artist

A.C. CHASE—5-6; 40; 140; Dark Comp.; wore Tweed suit
of brownish effect; dark hat.

Sent to local office of the P.G. & E. Co asked the girl
to cash his pay check, which she done as an accommodation.

San Francisco, Calif. 1924

AT

Pay to the order of

Pay to the order of

Value received and charge the same to account of

DOLLARS

To

A.C. Chase

CHECKS

R. B. MEYERS

207

Is very talkative and a close observer. Picks on auto tire stores.

GEORGE LEWIS

203

Age:
Weight:
Height:
Hair:
Complex:
Clothing:

OF CALIFORNIA

March 15

1924 No. 74957

Pay to the
order of

GEORGE T. LEWIS

\$ 40.00

Dollars

THE PACIFIC MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF CALIF.

Man giving name **JACK AUSTIN**, age about 26 years, height about 5 feet 5 or 9 inches, weight about 135 pounds, light complexion.


This man put over bad checks and also stole a Chandler touring car engine No. 62271, carrying California state license No. 981-082. Also stole a 32-20 Colts Police Special revolver, No. 287093.

I hold felony warrant, Notify

GUY GEORGE
Chief of Police. Colton, Calif.

W. A. SHAY, Sheriff.

14 PASADENA, CALIF. April 19th 1908 No. 100

 PACIFIC SOUTHWEST TRUST BANK No. 66-16

UNION TRUST AND SAVINGS BANK
CORNER 1st AND CALLEjas STS.

PAY TO THE ORDER OF J. C. Remondant \$50.00

Twenty

Wm. J. Shearer Cash

GOODS CO.
ST. *100* No. 294
LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA *1874* 92
1874 5
Harry Jarvis \$36.00
THE SUM OF *33* AND *00* CTS.
LA OFFICE
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BULLETIN #336, INDEX #4306, MAY 3rd, 1924.

REBATH MANUFACTURING CO. (FORGETTY).
CHECKS DRAWN ON THE PACIFIC SOUTHERN BANK, SOUTH
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PAYABLE TO "TIPET STENZEL". AS ADDRESS GIVEN 1021 N. 25th.
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REBATH MANUFACTURING CO.

C. Thomas Rebath

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Payee's Address

Payee's City

Payee's State

Payee's Zip

Payee's Phone

Payee's Email

Payee's Social Security

Payee's Date of Birth

Payee's Sex

Payee's Marital Status

Payee's Occupation

Payee's Education

Payee's Religion

Payee's Race

Payee's Ethnicity

Payee's Nationality

Payee's Citizenship

Payee's Residency

Payee's Mailing Address

Payee's Current Address

Payee's Previous Address

Payee's Contact Information

Payee's Emergency Contact

Payee's Signature

Payee's Date

Payee's Initials

Payee's Full Name

Payee's Last Name

Payee's First Name

Payee's Middle Name

Payee's Suffix

Payee's Title

Payee's Position

Payee's Department

Payee's Division

Payee's Branch

Payee's Office

Payee's Room

Payee's Box

Payee's Suite

Payee's Floor

Payee's Wing

Payee's Building

Payee's Street

Payee's Avenue

Payee's Boulevard

Payee's Lane

Payee's Court

Payee's Drive

Payee's Way

Payee's Place

Payee's Road

Payee's Trail

Payee's Path

Payee's Walkway

Payee's Alleyway

Payee's Courtyard

Payee's Garden

Payee's Park

Payee's Field

Payee's Meadow

Payee's Forest

Payee's Woods

Payee's Hills

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CHECKS

I hold warrants charging Forgery and Pictitious Checks for the following described persons:

R. B. MEYERS

Using Customers Drafts on Pasadena Branch of the Security Trust & Savings Bank to the First National Bank of San Diego
Tyewritten checks, amount 12.90 and signed Universal Motor Corporation, E. A. Harris, Treas.

Age: 30
Weight: 135
Height: 5-7
Complex: Medium
Clothing: Tweed suit, light hat

Is very talkative and a close observer. Picks on Auto tire stores.

GEORGE LEWIS

Checks signed by J. C. COLLIS. Pacific Mutual Life Insurance Company - John Morton Russell Agency #115, in the amount of \$40.00 on the Pacific Southwest Trust & Savings Bank. Checks numbered 16-54. Hits second hand clothing stores.

Age: 22
Weight: 135
Height: 5-8
Hair: Blonde
Complex: Light
Clothing: Dark striped suit, double breasted, highwaisted. Well dressed.

Man giving name JACK AUSTIN, age about 26 years, height about 5 feet 5 or 9 inches, weight about 135 pounds, light complexion.

This man put over bad checks and also stole a Chandler touring car engine No. 62271, carrying California state license No. 981-082. Also stole a 32-20 Colts Police Special revolver, No. 287093.

I hold felony warrant, Notify

GUY GEORGE
Chief of Police, Colton, Calif.

W. A. SHAY, Sheriff.

14 PASADENA, CALIF. April 19th 1924 No. 1

PACIFIC SOUTHWEST TRUST & SAVINGS BANK

UNION TRUST AND SAVINGS BANK

Pay to the order of J. C. Rembrandt Fifty \$50.00

W. A. Shay

GOODS CO. No. 294

LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA

Harry Jarvis

PAY OF \$30 AND 00 CTS. \$30.00

JOHN WHEEL GOODS CO. DOLLARS

C. L. Doyle

THE SECURITY NATIONAL BANK

PASADENA, CAL. 3-27

Pay to the order of R. B. Meyers \$32.20

Twenty-two and 20/100 DOLLARS

Wm. H. Lewis

Shirley

AMERICAN RAILWAY EXPRESS CO.

(INCORPORATED)

SHERIFF'S OFFICE
SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.
MAY 3, 1924

CARD No. 391

IDENTIFICATION UNIT

ARREST FOR FELONY

ISSUING CHECK WITHOUT FUNDS

EARL SMITH, alias Charles Cunningham, alias Earl Chadwick, age 21 to 25 years, height 5 feet 6 or 7 inches, weight 130 pounds, smooth shaven, light complexion, inclined to be tall, light hair, wearing a whipcord suit, brown hat, brown and white striped band, light shirt, is putting out checks on the Citizens Savings Bank of Pasadena.

Three Travelers Cheques were stolen from J. Madney Taite on or about March 2nd, 1924. On this date he checked out of the St. Francis Hotel, San Francisco, and went to Los Angeles where his address was the Alexandria Hotel.

Two of these cheques were cashed at San Luis Obispo on or about March 27th. One of these cheques, C-1756801 was cashed in H.G. Caswell's Store in Oakland about April 30th or May 1st by a man described as:-

Age - - - - - about 35 yrs.
Height - - - - - 5 ft. 6 in.
Weight - - - - - 160 lbs.
Complexion - - - - - very yellow
Shaven cheeks with coarse skin
Wore dark gray suit and cap and
had appearance of being a dog's friend.

On April 10th cheque C-1756807 was cashed in the store of J.F. Link Co., Berkeley, where the party purchased three pairs of white socks at 60¢ per pair. They described the man as being well dressed and with good appearance:

Age - - - - - about 35 yrs.
Height - - - - - 5 ft. 6 in.
Weight - - - - - 180 lbs.
Wore gray suit and Fedora hat.
Glow and methodical in transacting
his business.

About the same date cheque C-1756806 for \$50.00 was cashed in the store of G.F. Donough & Co., Berkeley, where he purchased some shirts paying less than \$5.00 for them and receiving something over \$45.00 in change. They described him about the same as the description given by J.F. Link Co. with the exception that he wore a brown overcoat and a corded cap.

From these descriptions it is possible that there are two men cashing these forged travelers cheques. Possibly this information may be of assistance in apprehending the party.

Circular 223 Bakersfield, California,
May 28th, 1924.

WANTED ON A FELONY WARRANT - - - FRAUDULENT CHECKS:

JOHN T. CAMERON, Age, abt 55 years; height, 5'7"; grey hair; eyes blue; weight, abt 170 lbs. This man played Kern County as an alleged buyer of mules for a man (or a firm) named Melcher, and with such representation, passed bad paper. Is supposed to have gone to Nogales, Arizona, and will perhaps be found somewhere in that locality, or in New Mexico or Texas. Cameron is badly wanted on Felony Warrant held by this Department. Arrest and wire at our expense. We will send for him anywhere.

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13676. I hold John the felony warrant, charge: passing fictitious checks, for the following records: name - about 20 years; about 6 ft. tall; weight 160 to 170 lbs.; slender build; light hair; light complexion; teeth irregular; wore dark coat; corduroy pants; tan shirt; soft felt hat; may or may not be wearing glasses; at one store was wearing light gray cord suit and tan stockings; checks are of the Citizens National Bank of Lodi, Calif., and signed "J. J. MOORE" or "J. J. MOORE".

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Circular No. 176

CHECKS

June 11, 1924.

I hold felony warrants for the following check artists:

1. **FRANCE, Joseph Ferdinand**
 Age: 34
 Height: 5-6
 Weight: 170
 Hair: Dark brown
 Eyes: Blue gray
 Complx: Med dk
 Nat.: Pennsylvania
 Occup: Salesman
 F.P.C.: 21/19 -/- O/I 15/17
2. **COSTELLO, F.A.**
 Age: 26-27
 Height: 5-10
 Weight: 175
 Hair: Black
 Eyes: Dark
 Complx: Dark
 Nat.: Mexican
3. **MOLOSOM, James**
 Alias W.S. Hill
 Age: 25-26
 Height: 5-6
 Weight: 150
 Hair: Brown
 Eyes: Chst
 Complx: Light
4. **SWANSON, Floyd L.**
 Age: 22
 Height: 5-5
 Weight: 120-130
 Hair: Dark
 Eyes: Dark
 Complx: Dark
5. **BURTON, Mrs. Mary**
 Made to Chas. Burton
 Age: 29
 Height: Dark
 Weight: Dark
 Complx: Dark
 Well dressed and appeared to be
 Chauffeur. This is a forgery
6. **MANNING, Mrs. Chas.**
 Age: About 28
 Height: 5-8 to 10
 Weight: 190
 Hair: Blonde
7. **TUPNER, Benjamin**
 Age: 60-70
 Height: 5-6
 Weight: 140-150
 Hair: Dk gry & blk mixed
 Eyes: Blue
 Complx: Dark
 Beard: Dk gry beard
8. **BARTLETT, M.S.**
 T.M. Leo E. Wagoner
 Age: 25
 Height: 5-8 or 9
 Weight: 145-150
 Hair: Brown
 Eyes: Light
 Complx: Rather dk
 This is a forgery
9. **EVANS, J.C.**
 Alias John Myers
 Age: 21-22
 Height: 5-8
 Weight: 160
 Hair: Med brown
 Eyes: Brown
 Complx: Med.
10. **SIMPSON, John Doe**
 Age: 29
 Height: 5-9 to 11
 Weight: 160
 Hair: Red
 Complx: Sandy
11. **TOWNSEND, Fred**
 Alias Olsen & Iverson; Olsen &
 Iverson
 Age: 50-60
 Height: 6-0
 Weight: 130-190
 Hair: Gray
 Eyes: Blue or grey
 Complx: Medium
12. **BECK, Orin R.**
 Age: 30
 Height: 6-3
 Weight: 195
 Hair: Dk bro or blk
 Complx: Dark

WANTED FOR FELONY.

(Circular No. 52).

An American, aged about 35 years; height, 5 feet, 11 inches; weight, about 160 lbs.; dark brown hair, blue eyes, straight nose, thin lips, fair complexion; painter by trade; will be found looking for work, came from Long Beach, Calif. Claims he has a stepfather, by the name of "Walden" or "Walton," at Long Beach. He has on him a new Eclipse fountain pen, "A. Walton," at Long Beach. He is a native of Long Beach, Calif. He is a dark brown hair, blue eyes, height is about 5 feet, 7 inches; weight about 140 lbs.; will have with her a new hot-point iron, weighing six lbs.; she wears a dark coat, black hat. Man is likely to rent some cheap apartment on each corner. Wears a dark suit of clothes, soft shirt and either soft hat or cap. Goes by the name of "Ed. Joney" or "Ed. Walden" or "Ed. Walton."

Arrest and wife at our expense. We hold felony warrant for forgery.
 JOHN CORR, Acting Chief of Police, or
 ARTHUR J. DEVINE, Constable.
 Watsonville, Calif., June 4, 1924.

WANTED FOR FORGERY

\$25.00 REWARD

A man who gave his name as Paul Tucker, (Jew), age about 32 years; 5 feet 4 inches in height; weight about 160 lbs.; dark brown hair, blue eyes, straight nose, thin lips, fair complexion; wears a gray suit. Represents himself as a salesman for the Harry Lewis Co., of New York. Wears a Shrine button and carries a Shrine card; also a number of papers for identification. Was in company with another Jew of about the same description, and who also wears a Shrine button. Tucker forged a certified check of \$400 on W. VonBurg, Jeweler, of this city. If located arrest and wire. Hold warrant.

KENNETH A. ELMORE,

Chief of Police,
Quincy, Ill.

Card No. 32.

Newman, Calif., May 28, 1924

Wanted for Forgery

No. 1. Walter McGrew, San Quentin No. 28630; age 48, height 5 ft. 6 1/8 in., weight 148 lbs., hair brown, eyes blue gray; truck driver, but may do any kind of work.

No. 2. Ben F. Carny, age 41, height 5 ft. 9 in., weight 145 lb., eyes black, hair dark, complexion dark, smooth shaved; knuckles of both hands drove back; has no trade. Was last heard of in Oakland, Calif. I hold felony warrants; arrest and wire.

W. G. NEWSOME, Constable.

California Bankers Association

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
628 MILLS BUILDING, SAN FRANCISCO
TELEPHONE DOUGLAS 1716

Circular No. 298

February 28, 1924

Series 1923-24

(THIS CIRCULAR SHOULD BE INSERTED IN C. B. A. BINDER FOR REFERENCE)

Warning! Young Women Forgers!

To the Cashier of the Bank Addressed:

Two young women who have defrauded banks in various cities of the United States by forgery are now in California. They obtain genuine checks being sent through the mails and from these prepare forged checks.

In each instance the presenter claims to be a relative of the purported maker of the check, and endorses check as shown in the illustration below. Note that below endorsement there is written a residence address, underscored by heavy line, and that surname of payee and maker is the same.

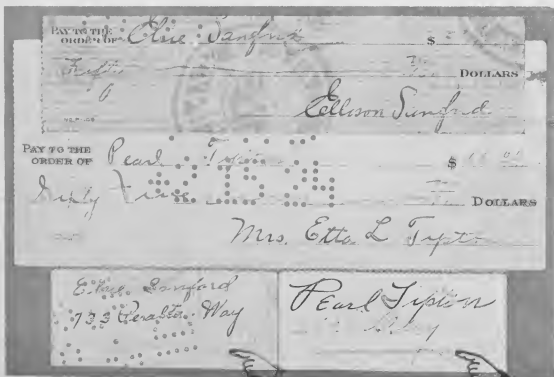
The writing in the body of the check is easily recognized. Although there is an effort to follow the style of handwriting of the purported drawer, the method of filling out the check is identical in all cases. Note the figures and the method of filling in the amount in words. A visualized picture of these forgeries should be retained in the mind of every paying teller. These young women are dangerous forgers and have for some

time been successful. Careful watch should be maintained for them. The descriptions given of these girls are as follows:

No. 1—Seventeen years; five feet four inches; 100 pounds, slight build; light complexion; blonde hair.
No. 2—Twenty-three years; five feet three inches; 110 pounds, medium build; dark complexion; black hair; has a round, full face and is attractive.

It is believed these girls have a man accomplice who robs mail boxes to obtain checks to serve as copy. See September, 1923, number, Protective Department, Journal of the American Bankers Association in this connection.

They are badly wanted. Should they appear at your bank every effort should be made to cause their apprehension. Notify the California Bankers Association or the nearest office of the Burns Detective Agency—Los Angeles or San Francisco—should either of these people appear at your bank.



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TELEPHONE DOUGLAS 1718

(THIS CIRCULAR SHOULD BE INSERTED IN C. B. A. BINDER FOR REFERENCE)

Special Circular

May 17, 1924

WARNING!

DANGEROUS FORGERIES

For the Personal Attention of
CASHIER of Bank Addressed:

We enclose copy of our Circular No. 298, and ask that it be read carefully. First report of these forgers operating in California came from Fresno. Last month they defrauded four bank in Stockton. It is logical to anticipate they will eventually operate in your city - perhaps at the end of this month or the first of next.

To perpetrate a check forgery it is first necessary to have knowledge of signature of the person whose name it is intended to forge and the bank where the account is maintained. This information is gained by these forgers through robbery of street mail boxes, generally near the end of the month, and letters containing checks stolen. From the check gotten in this manner a forgery is constructed, but no attempt is made to forge endorsement to the stolen check.

Checks so far presented have always been made payable to a woman, using the same surname as the purported drawer but a different given name. The presenter, a young woman, if questioned, claims to be a relative of the drawer. Our circular No. 298 contains description of the women who present the checks.

Remember, these checks are always presented at the bank on which drawn, and carry an excellent forgery of signature of depositor whose name appears on the forged check. The check are presented endorsed, and there is this outstanding characteristic in the endorsement - THERE HAS ALWAYS APPEARED A HEAVY LINE UNDER THE ENDORSEMENT as shown in the cut on our circular. THIS FACT SHOULD BE KEPT CONSTANTLY IN MIND BY YOUR PAYING TELLERS.

We have issued four special circulars in our endeavor to protect member banks from losses caused by a persistent woman check swindler who has been living at expense of banks for several years. Her method of operation was fully described, her handwriting reproduced and personal description given, but she has proved so disarming in her approach that she continues to defraud bank despite our efforts to put banks on alert for her. We again call attention to this woman and ask that this circular and our circular No. 299 be kept constantly in mind.

METHOD OF OPERATION: Arrives in town selected for her operation, rents a house or rooms, calls at bank and presents check drawn in her favor by her husband (she claims) for from \$30 to \$40, states she is just moving to town, gives the person from whom she has arranged to rent as reference and asks that the check be cashed in order that she may have money for immediate expenses prior to arrival of her husband.

115 DESCRIPTION: Forty to forty-five years, 5 feet 5 or 6 inches, 150 to 160 pounds, brown hair and eyes, medium complexion, good appearance.

DESCRIPTION OF CHECK: Writing on face of check always in a bold hand; endorsement always in a small neat hand. Check issued in her favor and she claims is drawn by her husband. SHE USES A DIFFERENT NAME EACH TIME SHE OPERATES.

Allice Keane
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Allice Keane
Endorsement

D. J. Keane

Issued by Order of Protective Committee,
Cir. 306 CALIFORNIA BANKERS ASSOCIATION
F. H. Colburn, Secretary.

Wanted for Forgery

WANTED For Forgery and Larceny

George B. Lee, alias Bert Lee

Age 24 or 25 years.
Weight about 140 pounds.
Dark complexion, stout build.
Height 5 feet 5 inches.
Broad features, prominent cheek bones.
Brown eyes.
Dark hair, rather long and heavy.

Small hands, short fingers.
Wears signet ring on little finger.
Hat crumpled in round manner, wears slightly on one side.
Wears gray-tan suit, new brown oxford shoes, ecru shirt.
Rather quiet manner and low voice.

Is traveling with his wife, Mrs. George B. Lee, maiden name Alderine Clark, sometimes goes by the name of Espy, alias Margaret Levene Lee and Mrs. Tex Mallory.

Age 16 or 17 years.
Height 5 feet 7 inches.
Slender build.
Weighs about 115 pounds.
Dark brown hair, straight long bob and bangs.
Dark eyes, prominent nose.
Small chin.
Large hands and feet, walks ungainly, carries head down, not inclined to look one in the eyes.
One ankle slightly enlarged.
Generally wears a white bandage around her head or wrist.
Wears wedding ring, small, engraved, shows where welded.
Also has cluster-set ring, with one or two small sets out; also a high-set diamond ring. Wears old-fashioned gold bracelet, flower design with red sets.

Sometimes wears grey velvet hat with bar pin in front, set with white stones.

Had new voile dress, light color with blue figures, brown bow on each side and in front.

New light tan oxford shoes.

A tan silk sweater with long fringe on the bottom.

Had with them a small green trunk, new, with handle on side; one tan leather suitcase, new.

CAR STOLEN

These parties are supposed to be traveling in a stolen car, new 1924 Chevrolet Sedan, Motor No. 1377850, Serial F-20063, 1924 License, Oregon, 158-433 or possibly 1924 Oregon License 158-870; left fender has been dented slightly and scraped. Car equipped with five Goodyear cords. Chevrolet tire cover only spare tire.

Lee is a railroad brakeman and has made a statement that he intended to steal a new car and store it in a private garage somewhere, and was going to Seattle to apply for a position as brakeman from there.

Arrest Lee and wife, hold car and wire

L. L. LOW, Sheriff KLAMATH FALLS, OREGON

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A. W. LEIGH, Chief of Police,
Paducah, Ky.

NTY BUREAU OF IDENTIFICATION,
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., June 1924.

ARRANT ----- FICTITIOUS CHECKS:

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Receiving Set, Model "X"-6 tubes, which had
the reading on each is: "April 14th, 1924,
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HC, case engraved inside "DW" and "DJ" and
outside with initials "DMJ".

Cancellation: Our Circular No. 220, ANTONIO SANCHEZ, apprehended
and convicted.

J. H. DUPES, Chief of Police, or J. C. WALSER, Sheriff,
Bakersfield, California.
Circular No. 224.

Geo. R. Lawson, Supt., Bu. Ident'n.

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Kelso, California,
June 19, 1924.

Dear Sir:

I hold a warrant for Harry Pulis, described as 37 years, height 6 feet, weight 100 pounds, hair dark, eyes brown; all build and good looking.

With the said Harry Pulis, is one Johnson, alias Johnson, slender build, rather large brown eyes, brown hair, about 30 years old, 5 feet and 4 inches, weight 100 pounds; this man, who appears too small for the head, sporting team.

They took with them a Stevens camera, with a Washington license 148065, motor 16237. Bought of Fred Jones, Boise, Idaho, and not paid for.

Pulis and Johnson left Oakland, California, on June 16th; had the Washington license on front of car and a California license on rear.

Information shows that Pulis stated he would dip the women and boat it with the car. The women is waiting at home on the Oakland State Bank.

His folks are said to live in San Francisco, and his former wife is now Mrs. Frank Evans, to whom he addressed a letter May 14th, 1924, "Manoral Delivery, Los Angeles, California." With Mrs. Evans are two children - Robert and Elizabeth, son and daughter of Pulis. Mrs. Evans' given name is "Bessie".

Pulis claims to have been in the employ of Santa Anita P. O. Company, for several years.

Arrest, hold and wire,

Clark Studebaker
Gowllitz County, Wash.

J. H. PRESTON, on the first day of June, 1924, forged and passed upon the Glass Block Store, Inc., Duluth, Minn., a forged check in the amount of \$150.00, drawn on the Ramsey County Bank, St. Paul, Minnesota.

HOW HE OPERATED

He arrived in Duluth about the 1st day of June, proceeded to purchase a residence on the partial payment plan. In doing so, he presented a check for \$400.00 drawn on a bank at Seattle, Washington, namely, the Seaboard National Bank. Purchased a gas range from a local merchant presenting a check for \$150.00, drawn on the Ramsey County Bank at St. Paul, Minn., payable to James H. Preston, signed Edwin A. Hemmingsway, 228 Summit Avenue. Check was dated June 1st, 1924, #224, and endorsed by J. H. Preston, 35 Minneapolis Avenue, where he claims to have purchased a new home. Check was returned, "no account." He later issued a check, signing the name J. H. Preston, in the amount of \$125.00, drawn on a bank in Seattle, Washington. He presented this check at a local jewelry store. He was in this City for a period of about five days. He may be operating in your city.

DESCRIPTION

J. H. Preston, about 35 years of age, 5 feet 6 inches tall, weight 155 pounds, blue eyes, fair complexion, well dressed. Wore gray soft hat, gaberdine top coat. Represents himself to be a business man. First finger on right hand broken and crooked, second finger on left hand has a felon.

Warrant issued. Arrest, hold and wire the undersigned.

June 13, 1924

E. H. Barber,
Chief of Police.

WANTED FOR PASSING BAD CHECKS

G. O. Miller, alias A. J. Smith. Age about 40 years; height about 5 feet 7 inches; stout build; weight about 140 pounds; wearing hat, although carried cap in auto. Wore green checked shirt and corduroy trousers. Drives a 1924 Chevrolet Truck, License California No. 113-306. Carries blankets, canvases, potatoes and empty boxes in truck. Checks drawn on Mercantile Trust Co. of San Jose, California. His business is passing bad checks and etc. from farmers and giving worthless checks in payment. This man left this county May 20, 1924, and it is believed that he lives at 277 Belvedere Gardens, Los Angeles, under the name of G. O. Miller. Felony warrant issued.

Bureau of Identification
San Francisco, Cal.
JUNE 19, 1924



CARD 399

ARREST FOR FELONY ISSUING FICTITIOUS CHECKS

J. D. BLACKWELL, American, age 35 years, height about 5 feet 9 inches, weight about 170 pounds, smooth shaven, dark complexion, black hair, dark eyes.

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Wanted for Forgery

²⁴⁶DESCRIPTION: Age 35, weight about 145 pounds, very active, smooth talker, wears about No. 6 shoe, neat in appearance.

Represents himself as being a painter and decorator; gives painters' local as reference. Made application at Belleville, Ill., for a card.

He goes by the name of Walter G. Hiertse; his real name is supposed to be Thomas F. Arde and is reported to have left the State of Tennessee driving a late model Ford coupe with Tennessee license plate, which is supposed to have been stolen.

Reported to be on his way to Oregon or California.

Arrest and notify by wire—

A. W. LEIGH, Chief of Police,
Paducah, Ky.

CITY & COUNTY BUREAU OF IDENTIFICATION,
Bakersfield, California,
18th., June 1924.

WANTED ON A FELONY WARRANT FICTITIOUS CHECKS: ²⁴⁹

H. J. TYLER, an oil promoter and driller, Age, 45 years; height, about six feet; weight 145 to 150 lbs; ruddy complexion; brown hair; very slender hands; has a peculiar twitch to mouth when speaking; wears a white gold Shriner's pin on coat; smooth talker and quiet disposition. We hold Felony Warrant and will send for him anywhere.

WANTED ON WARRANT, CHARGING FAILURE TO PROVIDE: ²²⁰

We are holding a Warrant, as above stated, for one JOHN McMILLION, an oil worker by occupation, who has worked in oil crews at Los Angeles and at Long Beach, California, in which locality he is probably now in employment. This man deserted his wife at Fellows, California, recently and is badly wanted by this Department.
Age, 25 to 30 years; height, 5'6 or 7"; blue eyes; dark brown hair; medium dark complexion; slim build; presents good appearance, generally goes well dressed, and will probably be found with some oil drilling crew.

Follows a list of Automobiles recently stolen at Bakersfield:
Dodge Touring, Motor No. 756472, Lic. No. 232-509, stolen 6-15-24.
Ford Coupe, New, Motor No. either 9688714 or 9688699, equipped Ruchstahl axle, General Cord tires all around. Dirs Lic. No. A-889.
Gardner, 1920 Model, Motor No. 339649, Lic. No. 124-655, equipped 2 Federal Cords, 2 Western Giants, and Ford Generator.

Other property taken in recent thefts:

One "C" Melody Saxophone in case, No. 54334.
OO One set of one and one-fourth inch Dies, with private mark "303".

One complete Radio Receiving Set, Model "X"-6 tubes, which had been repaired and the reading on each is: "April 14th., 1924, Howard Radio Laboratories", and one "Everready" "45" Bolted Battery.

Waltham Watch, 17j, G.H.C., case engraved inside "DW" and "DJ" and outside with initials "DMJ".

Cancellation: Our Circular No. 220, ANTONIO SANCHEZ, apprehended and convicted,

J. H. DUPES, Chief of Police, or J. C. WALSER, Sheriff,
Bakersfield, California.

Circular No. 224. Geo. R. Lawson, Supt., Bu. Ident'n.

W. B. SEVERYNS
CHIEF

THE CITY OF SEATTLE
WASHINGTON

DEPARTMENT OF POLICE

WHEN ANSWERING
KINDLY REFER TO
INITIALS.....

Circular No. 287
Capt. Tennant.

Seattle, Wash.
June 9th 1924



Chief of Police:
Sir:

We hold Forgery in the First Degree Warrant for Robt. B. Harris, who is described as being 6', #170, 37 years of age, dark hair, very thin in front, brown eyes, teeth gone on left side and his finger nails are chewed off. He is wearing an English sport model suit, brownish color, with knickers, and is carrying a new black leather suitcase, and a new tan handbag, and golf equipment.

He claims that his father is a partner in the firm of Harris, Forbes & Co. brokers, of New York City, and that he has himself been in the employ of Browning, King & Co. New York City, and for the Retail Research Association, also of that city. He is certainly of good connections, and will be found around golf clubs and the better class of retail stores and hotels.

He left this City south bound, on the Great Northern Railway, Oregon and California Departments particularly should keep a lookout for him, for he will undoubtedly deceive those with whom he comes in contact as to his responsibility, and obtain money on his worthless checks, as is his practise. We are anxious to prosecute him, and will extradite him from any locality.

Thanking you in advance, Yours very truly,

W. B. Severyns,
Chief of Police.

Herbert.

Circular Number 341



San Bernardino, California.
JUNE 10, 1924

ARREST for FELONY UTTERING AND FORGING CHECK

Man signing name JOHN W. HARRIS, American age about 35 years, height 5 feet 8 or 9 inches, weight 130 to 135 pounds, slender build, smooth shaven, dark sallow complexion, dark hair, dark eyes, carries his head crooked slightly to right side. Had on what appeared to be a large diamond on third finger of his right hand. Claims to have just recently had the flu. When last seen was wearing a brown two-piece suit, greenish cast sweater coat, light brown soft hat. Was traveling in a small car, a coupe; had a lady with him, whom he claimed as his wife. Unable to get make of car or description of lady.

This man putting out checks generally for the amount of \$45.00, checks on the Redondo Bank, Redondo, Calif. pay to John W. Harris, signed George Harris.

Arrest and notify, I hold felony warrant.

O. W. B. Supt.
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W. A. SHAY, Sheriff.

W. A. SHAY, Sheriff.

T. C. McDONALD, Constable
Rialto, California

WANTED FOR FORGERY.

Ithaca, N. Y., May 31, 1924.

A smooth confidence man and forger, using the name of CARLETON H. CALLEY alias PHIL LONDON, is operating in this vicinity using the checks of Winder Service Company, New York City. He is of a pleasing personality, well educated and claims to belong to the Alpha Mu Fraternity of Michigan University.

He is about 5 feet 8 inches tall and weighs in the neighborhood of 135 or 140 pounds, age about 30 years, dark hair, sallow complexion. When last seen, he was dressed in a brownish-grey suit with small blue stripe, wore a grey Fedora hat, fancy stockings, low tan shoes, laced, and a grey top-coat.

When trying on a suit at a local clothing store, he showed the clerk a scar straight up and down across the abdomen, which appeared to be of some time standing, which he claimed was from a serious operation of some years ago, but which may have been a clever bit of make up.

He claims to be interested in outdoor sports and is a good judge of fishing tackle and the like. He represents himself to be of the firm of Winder Service Company, 440 Fourth Ave., New York City, using their business cards, showing his name in connection with J. A. Winder.

The checks which he offers are well made out and apparently exact copies of the ordinary checks used by the above Company as appears by the cut herewith.

DO NOT DETACH THIS STUB
THIS CHECK IS IN FULL PAYMENT
FOR ITEMS STATED BELOW



WINDER SERVICE COMPANY
ADVERTISING - ILLUSTRATING
440 Fourth Avenue

No. 1735

PAY TO THE ORDER OF

NEW YORK

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\$16.50

16 50/100 DOLLARS

TO THE HARRIMAN NATIONAL BANK
OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK
1-235 NEW YORK

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WINDER SERVICE COMPANY
ADVERTISING - ILLUSTRATING
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TO THE HARRIMAN NATIONAL BANK
OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK
1-235 NEW YORK

Forty-Six

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Circular Number 101



BUREAU OF IDENTIFICATION
San Bernardino, California
JUNE 24, 1924

Arrest for Felony Issuing Checks Without Funds

JOHN (called Jack) GALBRATH, age about 33 years, height about 5 feet 5 inches, weight about 120 pounds, smooth shaven, dark complexion, thin face, large discolored teeth, large eyes, dark hair; has a silver tube in his throat and has a habit of putting his hand over his mouth when he swallows. Is driving an old Ford touring car, fenders and top badly damaged. Royal cord tires all around, engine No. 6253308, 1924 California state license No. 212-133. I hold Felony Warrant

T. C. McDONALD, Constable
Rialto, California

W. A. SHAY, Sheriff.

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Arrest and notify, I hold felony warrant.

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The checks which he offers are well made out and apparently exact copies of the ordinary checks used by the above Company as appears by the cut herewith.

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If this young man appears in your vicinity passing similar checks, please hold him and telegraph at our expense to Chief of Police William Marshall, Ithaca, N. Y.; Sheriff Charles Green, Ithaca, N. Y., or District Attorney Arthur G. Adams, Ithaca, N. Y.

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Auburn, June 20, 1924.

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Cir. 190. Wanted for Forgery, Bank Checks

W. H. KAYHILL, age 36 years; height 5 ft. 8 in.; weight 165; blue eyes; light hair, fair complexion; occupation cook or helper. Will seek employment in cafe or construction camp. Has been employed as brakeman for S. P. R. R. Co. Kindly make inquiry of secretary of Cooks and Waiters Union. Kayhill committed forgery in this county December 12, 1923.

Cir. 191. Wanted for Issuing and Passing Fraudulent Checks.

J. W. WILLIAMS, American, age 23 or 24 years; height 5 ft. 9 in.; weight 165 lbs.; medium complexion, smooth shaven; dresses roughly. Worked for S. P. Co. in Roseville, this county, as laborer.

On April 4, 1924, Williams purchased a diamond ring, size 6 1/2 ladies, white gold; diamond 40.45 points, off color, box mounted; value \$140.00. Paid for the ring with a fraudulent check.

Cir. 192. Wanted for Issuing and Passing Fraudulent Checks.

W. H. ROBERTS, true name W. C. Bingham—American, age 43 years; height 5 ft. 8 in.; weight 140 lbs.; red hair, blue eyes, complexion ruddy; occupation electrician.

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Bingham has with him his wife and four children, traveling in an old Buick touring car. Passed the above check in Roseville, this county, April 13, 1924. He is an old offender, being wanted in Reno, Nevada; Denning New Mexico.

Cir. 193. Wanted for Forgery

G. C. WALLACE, Greek; age 32 or 33 years; height 5 ft. 4 in.; weight 120 lbs.; dark complexion; smooth shaven; thin features. Speaks good English. Occupation, dish washer and gambler. Has worked in restaurants in Redding, Sacramento and Stockton, California, and Reno, Nevada. While employed in Roseville May 7, 1924, he forged several bank checks.

Cir. 194. Wanted for Issuing and Passing Fraudulent Check.

JOHN W. BENSON, alias Samuel D. Benson. Age 35 to 40 years; height 5 ft. 9 or 10 in.; weight 160 lbs.; smooth shaven; medium complexion; one shoulder much lower than the other—think it is the right. He gave check for room rent; the landlady could not cash check so asked her to endorse check and he would go to bank and return and pay for the room; he did not return, but cashed check and left town. This offense was committed in Roseville, this county, June 3, 1924.

I hold felony warrants for the above named. If located, arrest, hold and wire me at my expense.

ELMER H. GUM, Sheriff,
Placer County, California.

Police Department, Long Beach, Calif.
July 3, 1924.

Arrest, I hold felony warrant, charging
"Not Sufficient Fund" Checks, for the following
described party:

WERN J. TAYLOR.

32 yrs. of age,

5 ft. 6 in.

130 lbs.

Brown hair, streaked with grey.

Light complexion, smooth shaven.

Passes non-sufficient fund checks on acquaintances that he makes; also acts as agent for some fictitious paint concern, obtaining a check for the merchandise to be delivered later and having the merchant make the check payable to the fictitious company. The check later is returned bearing the endorsement of the fictitious firms and also of Taylor's.

(FRIDLEY-BLUNT)
Check Bureau.

CANCELLATIONS

Michael Tierney, Long Beach Bulletin 485, arrested J. Montpelier, L. Bulletin 583, now in Oregon Penitentiary, 2 years, search discontinued.

F. B. Kutz,
Capt. of Records.

J. H. HANCOCK,
Chief of Police,
Long Beach, Cal.

59-361 PHELAN BUILDING

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

CORPORATION - PRIVATE - BANK AND HOTEL WORK
GRAPH AND EFFICIENT SECRET SERVICE

CITIES OF THE UNITED STATES, HAWAII, CANADA, ENGLAND, FRANCE

San Francisco, California
June 10th, 1924.

R N I G

OPERATING ON MERCHANTS AND BANKS

have a bill of goods, and present a pay
the Union Trust Company of San Francisco,
amounts.

D AS FOLLOWS:

San Francisco, Calif.
June 7th, 1924.

GEO. M. JONES - - - - - \$90.00

- - - - - DOLLARS
Heitzer Signed - Geo. F. Drake
Vice President

(copy of his
signature)

by claims to be a salesman for the Drake
tries a fake letter of introduction
Gives his address at 1717 Leavenworth St

D AS FOLLOWS:

eyes brown - Height 5 ft. 9 in.
medium build - smooth
dark slightly grey -
wears tortoise shell
small rim - looks very
Occupation Salesman or Accountant.

suit, brown fedora hat
coat.

by the San Francisco Police

Arrest and wire my expense.

CLARA SHAY

Age 32 yrs., height 5 ft. 8 ins., weight 140 lbs.,
slender build, complexion medium dark, eyes brown, hair
dark.

Arrest and wire my expense.

I hold felony warrant.

Arrest and notify this office.

R. L. HILL,
Sheriff Tulare County
Visalia, Calif.

Dated June 14, 1924.

CANCEL CIRCULAR No. 263.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE

San Diego County, California

SHERIFF'S OFFICE

San Diego County, California.

Bulletin #24.

San Diego, California,
June 24, 1924.

FORGERY

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WILLIAM LAW, alias W. J. McVey, J. W. McVay, W. J. Carson, W. P. Bucke, J. L. Brewster, H. C. Bowles, H. F. Briggs, W. S. Carson, F. C. Cortright, C. E. Haward, A. J. Howle, W. H. Howle, E. Evans, F. C. Collins, P. Collins, John Howard, Harry Hines, W. G. Jewel, Robert Lynn, H. B. Layton, J. N. Millen, Frederick E. Norton, Clyde Norton, Lyman Page, Arthur J. Reeves, C. L. Weekley, W. R. Thomas, P. W. Watson, P. A. Watson, Wm. Hayden, W. S. Crowder, W. S. Craig, C. W. Kelly, --- San Quentin #28293, San Quentin #33362, Folsom #11474, Oakland #9104, Kansas City #9493, Los Angeles County, #17181,

Defendant is described as follows: Age 53, 5 feet 6 inches, 144 pounds, hair turning grey; short, grey mustache, blue eyes, dark complexion; has scar near right eyebrow, may wear eye glasses

Finger Print Classification 21 - I 14
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This man deposited two three thousand dollar drafts, issued by the First National Bank of Pittston, Pa. against the Irving Bank of New York, at the Southern Trust & Commerce Bank, La Jolla Branch, this County. He checked on these deposits to the amount of \$650.00. These drafts were forged, and he left there for parts unknown.

Kindly arrest, hold, and notify me at my expense, I hold Felony Warrant charging forgery.

JAMES C. BYERS, Sheriff.

J.H.B. Sup't.
B. of I.



Wanted--For Forgery

241 R. J. HOWARD--AGE 30

Complexion dark. Hair dark brown or black. Eyes dark brown or black. Height 5 feet, 10 inches. Weight 150 to 160 pounds. Pleasant features, regular. Heavy black eyebrows, close set. Was dressed in dark blue suit, small cap. Sometimes wears blue serge shirt and leather leggings, with watch chain hanging from shirt pocket. Always wears cap. Occupation stage and truck driver.

Hold Felony Warrant. Arrest and wire collect.

J. A. LIGHT, Constable
L. E. NEWTON, Constable
Or C. E. TOVEY, Chief of Police, Chico



HARRY LUBBOCK DETECTIVE AGENCY

LICENSED AND BONDED

357-359-361 PHELAN BUILDING

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

CIVIL - CRIMINAL - INDUSTRIAL - CORPORATION - PRIVATE - BANK AND HOTEL WORK

EXPERT DICTOGRAPH AND EFFICIENT SECRET SERVICE

CORRESPONDENTS IN ALL PRINCIPAL CITIES OF THE UNITED STATES, HAWAII, CANADA, ENGLAND, FRANCE

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San Francisco, California
June 10th, 1924.

T A R N I C

DANGEROUS FORGER OPERATING ON MERCHANTS AND BANKS

Will purchase a bill of goods, and present a pay
roll check drawn on the Union Trust Company of San Francisco,
Calif., for different amounts.

CHECKS READ AS FOLLOWS:

(Pay Roll)

San Francisco, Calif.
June 7th, 1924.

Pay to the order of - GEO. M. JONES - - - - - \$90.00

HINDTY - - - - - DOLLARS

Signed - Jeffery Schweitzer
President - Treasurer

Signed - Geo. F. Drake
Vice President

Check endorsed - *Geo M. Jones* (copy of his
signature)

This party claims to be a salesman for the Drake
Rock Put Co., and carries a fake letter of introduction
Signed by Mr. Drake. Gives his address at 1717 Leavenworth St

DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

Age 40 - Eyes brown - Height 5 ft. 9 in.
Weight 165 lbs. - medium build - smooth
shaven - Hair dark slightly grey -
complexion dark - wears tortoise shell
rim glasses - small nose - looks very
dissipated. Occupation Salesman or Accountant.

Wears blue serge suit, brown fedora hat
light grey overcoat.

If located notify the San Francisco Police
Department or this Office.

BAD CHECKS
ERNEST W. NICKEL
Age 22 yrs., height 5 ft. 8 ins., weight 135 lbs.,
complexion fair, eyes blue, hair light.

This fellow is an excellent whistler and has been
trying to make a living by putting on whistling programs
for clubs, lodges, and various organizations.

Claims his home is in Long Beach and left here for
the south. When speaking continually used the expres-
sion "You understand," or "Don't you know."

I hold felony warrant. Arrest and wire my expense.

CLARA SHAY

Age 32 yrs., height 5 ft. 8 ins., weight 140 lbs.,
slender build, complexion medium dark, eyes brown, hair
dark.

I hold felony warrant. Arrest and notify this office.

R. L. HILL,
Sheriff Tulare County
Visalia, Calif.

Dated June 14, 1924.

CANCEL CIRCULAR No. 283.

BUREAU OF IDENTIFICATION

Circular No. 265

Visalia, Calif.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE

San Diego County, California.





Wanted on Warrant for Issuing Check to Defraud

G. F. JOHNSON

alias Frank O. Godfrey—alias

Wm. L. Addison—alias Chas. B. Leet
an Ex-Convict.

Bertillon Measurements:

175.4—75.0—92.5—19.8—15.0—13.6
6.3—24.5—10.7— 8.3—45.3

Finger Print Classification:

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Description: 27 years of age, 5 ft. 10 inches tall, weight 130 lbs., sallow complexion, light chestnut hair, yellow blue eyes, eye brows united, small mouth, successman by occupation.

On or about June 1st, 1924, issued a check drawn on The Guardian Savings & Trust Co., Cleveland, Ohio, payable to the order of The Hollenden Hotel, Cleveland, Ohio, for the amount of \$200.00; did not have any funds in Bank.

Kindly cause careful search and inquiries to be made for the above described man, if located, arrest, wire at my expense, and officer with proper papers will be sent to return him.

JACOB GRAUL,
Chief of Police.

Wanted On Charge of Forgery

Wanted, felony warrant for the arrest of one B. F. BURCH on charge of Forgery.

DESCRIPTION. Age, 25 or 30 years; weight, 130-140 pounds; complexion, dark, thin face and features, eyes set close together and small; was wearing brown suit, brown, English cut shoes and wore a hat (color unknown).

This man left Ontario, Oregon, May 17th, 1924, on train Number 24 going East, with Conductor Bogbins. Was carrying a tan hand bag and very neat tan brief case. Burch posed as a salesman for the National Produce Company of Spokane, and carried a line of cheap cut glass, cigarette cases, holders, novelties, etc. Burch seemed to be acquainted with all traveling men along the line here.

Officers please keep a close lookout for this man and if located arrest, hold and wire me collect, and I will send for him at once.

H. LEE NOE, Sheriff
Vale, Oregon.Circular No. 78,
June 12th, 1924.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE

COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA.

Bulletin #25.

San Diego, Calif.,
July 3, 1924.WANTED FOR CHECKS NO FUNDS

J. H. JONES.

Described as follows: Age, 40 years, 5' 11", 150 pounds, light hair, ruddy complexion; occupation, auto mechanic. This man put over several hundred dollars worth of checks in this City. (See our Bulletin with his photo #20 of March 24th., 1924.

WANTED FOR CHECKS NO FUNDS.

J. A. NELSON.

Described as follows: 50 years, 5' 10", 190 pounds, light hair, blue eyes, fair complexion; claimed to be a Ship Broker in San Francisco, may be an ex-navy man. He put over several hundred dollars worth of checks in this city.

WANTED FOR BAD CHECKS.

A. T. RUSSELL.

Described as follows: Age, 25, 5' 10", 150 pounds, light chestnut hair, blue eyes, fair complexion. Put over several checks in this city. This man is known at Long Beach and around San Pedro, California.

WANTED FOR BAD CHECKS.

J. F. BRENNEN.

Described as follows: Age 40 to 45 years, 5' 10", 165 pounds, hair turning grey, muddy complexion. Generally works around racing stables.

For Obtaining Money Under False Pretenses

F. W. HUSSEY

I HOLD FELONY WARRANT FOR ONE F. W. HUSSEY WANTED BY THIS OFFICE FOR ISSUING OVER \$500.00 WORTH OF NO FUND CHECKS. HE LEFT HERE DRIVING A STUDEBAKER SPECIAL AUTOMOBILE, 1921 MODEL, BLUE BODY, BLACK HOOD; BEARING WEST VIRGINIA AND COLORADO LICENSE PLATES. IS TRAVELING WITH WIFE AND THREE BOYS.

Description of Hussey

Weight 185 pounds, Age 48 or 50.
Height 5 ft. 10 inches.
Smooth shaven.
Hair grayish and bald in front.
Red faced, very talkative.
Is member of K. of P. Lodge and plays it strong.
Is Painter and Decorator by trade.

Description of Wife

35 years, small, weight about 125 pounds.
Light complexion, and light hair.
Three boys, ages 8, 10 and 12 years.

THIS MAN IS A GENUINE GRAFTER AND CONFIDENCE MAN AND PLAYED THIS GAME ON ABOUT 20 OF BOISE'S BUSINESS MEN. ARREST, HOLD AND WIRE, I WILL EXTRADITE.

L. E. ALLUMBAUGH, Sheriff
BOISE, IDAHO.

June 20, 1924.

Arrest, I hold Felony Warrant, charging for the following described party:

249 **GRANT EGAN**
45 to 50 years of age. *Am San Diego*
5 ft. 8-inches. *red hair*
130 lbs.
Auburn hair,
Ruddy complexion, smooth shaven.
Claims to be an elephant trainer.
Has large scar on right leg.

This fellow ate a meal at "T" Done C check for \$30.00 drawn on the Pacific Savings Bank. The name Charles Woodford, was forged to check. He received the bail The bank paid the check and therefore is

UNIDENTIFIED SUICIDE;

Men, age about 50 yrs.
No scars; darkish hair, bald, gray
False teeth on plates, upper and
Grecian nose.
5-8", 140 lbs; shins bandaged
Had large bunion on left foot.
Fair complexion.
Hands smooth, probably waiter, t
Dressed in dark suit, striped sh
Carried yellow bone handled knife
Had bottle of magnesia
Shot himself thru head with NW
Killed himself June 24, 1924 in h
and found by a citizen June 25
Carried small note book which ha
entry and attempt made to erase
"315 S. Central".

J. C. Y
Chief
Id

F. D. Kutz,
Supt. Bureau of Records.

San Jose, California.
July 3rd, 1924.

circular #70

251 **PASADENA PICTURES**

R. E. RILEY - American, age about 35 yrs., height 5-1;
dark complexion; black hair, streaked slightly with gray;
large brown, piercing eyes; good features; square chin;
protruding yellow teeth; wearing smooth finish brown suit
and dark felt hat; brown shoes; had masculine emblem in coat;
well dressed.

This party falsely represented himself to be connected with the Universal Film Corporation of Los Angeles and claimed to be working on locations for a picture.

Drew several drafts on Holly wood Bank and passed same on local merchants, obtaining change in each transaction. Made checks out in amounts of about \$70.00 or \$80.00.

Made reservations at leading Hotel, entirely for several prominent moving picture stars. But no one showed up.

I hold Felony warrant for this party - if arrested kindly hold and advise me at my expense.

J. H. BLACK.

CHIEF OF POLICE, SAN JOSE, CAL.

JACOB GRANT,
Chief of Police.

J. A. BRENNER.
Described as follows: Age 40 to 45 years, 5' 10", 185 pounds, hair turning grey, muddy complexion. Generally works around racing stables.

sent to return him.

JACOB GRAUL,
Chief of Police.

San Jose, California.
July 3rd, 1924.

enclosure #70
201 - PENDING PISTOL CHARGES
for

R. E. HOLLY - American, age about 35 yrs., height 6-1;
dark complexion; black hair, streaked slightly with gray;
large brown, piercing eyes; good features; sunken chin;
protruding yellow teeth; wearing smooth finish brown suit
and dark felt hat; brown shoes; had mammoth eucaly in coat;
well dressed.

This party falsely represented himself to be connected
with the Universal Film Corporation of Los Angeles and claimed
to be working on locations for a picture.

Drew several drafts on Holly wood Bank and passed same on
local merchants, obtaining change in each transaction. Made
checks out in amounts of about \$70.00 or \$80.00.

Made reservations at leading Hotel yesterday for several
prominent moving picture stars, but no one showed up.

I held felony warrant for this party - if arrested kindly
hold and advise me at my expense.

J. H. H. C.
CHIEF OF POLICE, SAN JOSE, CAL.

RECORDS
Police Department - Los Angeles, Calif.,
Bulletin No. 600 July 2, 1924.

Arrest, I held felony warrant, charging Forgery,
for the following described party:

249 GRANT EGAN
45 to 50 years of age. *San Diego - 1/14/25*
5 ft. 8-inches.
130 lbs.
Auburn hair,
Ruddy complexion, smooth shaven.
Claims to be an elephant trainer.
Has large scar on right leg.

This fellow ate a meal at "T" Done Cafe and tendered
check for \$30.00 drawn on the Pacific Southwest Trust and
Savings Bank. The name Charles Woodford, former employer,
was forged to check. He received the balance in cash.
The bank paid the check and therefore is out the \$30.00.

UNIDENTIFIED SUICIDE;

249 Man, age about 50 yrs.
No scars; dark hair, bald, grey about temples.
False teeth on plates, upper and lower,
Grecian nose.
5-8", 140 lbs; shins bandaged before death.
Had large bunion on left foot.
Fair complexion.
Hands smooth, probably waiter, tailor or barber.
Dressed in dark suit, striped shirt,
Carried yellow bone handled knife.
Had bottle of magnesia
Shot himself thru head with M&W .32 U.S. Rev. 38291
Killed himself June 24, 1924 in harbor district,
and found by a citizen June 25, 1924.
Carried small note book which had contained one
entry and attempt made to erase that -- reads
"315 E. Central".

F.D.Kutz,
Supt. Bureau of Records.

J.S. YANCY
Chief of Police,
Long Beach, Cal.

Big Money Pretenses HUSSEY

E. F. W. HUSSEY WANTED
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GH. Sheriff
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WARNING NOTICE BAD CHECK PASSERS WANTED BY Nick Harris Detectives

LOS ANGELES OFFICE, TOP FLOOR PANTAGES THEATRE BLDG
 H. E. HURLBY, Supt. Bad Check Dept.

Offices:
 LOS ANGELES
 NEW YORK CITY
 SAN FRANCISCO
 SAN DIEGO
 SANTA ANA
 SAN PEDRO
 LONG BEACH
 HOLLYWOOD
 PASADENA
 PHONE
 Metropolitan 1332

NOTES—If any person attempts to pass check described below, detain on some pretext (without accusing), phone local office and agent will be sent and assume charge.

BULLETIN #342, INDEX #4430, JULY 31st, 1924.

COMMON.
 CHECKS DRAWN ON CITIZENS NATL. BK., MAIN & PICO BR. RETD.
 "GIVES ADDRESS 1417 EAST PICO ST. (NO SUCH #) SEE
 J. S. Dolan

BULLETIN #342, INDEX #4458, JULY 31st, 1924.

DOLAN,
 CHECKS DRAWN ON CITIZENS NATL. BK., AMER. RETD. "NO ACCT." GIVES
 ADDRESS BUT IS "UNKNOWN" THERE, SEE PAGES:

BULLETIN #342, INDEX #4451, JULY 31st, 1924.

J. S. CURTIS,
 CHECKS DRAWN ON HELLER BROS., 7th & FIGUEROA BR. ARE RETD.
 FATHER TALL, AGE 27 or 28, DARK BR. HAIR & EYES, REFINED,
 CIVILY DRESSED. GIVES ADDRESS AS 753 S. POWER, (NO SUCH #)
 CURTIS:
 Mrs. J. S. Curtis

BULLETIN #342, INDEX #4402, JULY 31st, 1924.

Y. HENDERSON,
 CHECKS DRAWN ON CITIZENS TRUST & SVGS. BK., PICO & MAIN BR. RETD.
 "GIVES ADDRESS 1410 N. 4th St. (UNKNOWN NAME) SEE
 STEINLE, Bedford

BULLETIN #342, INDEX #4407, JULY 31st, 1924.

GIVE HOUSE NUMBERS, (FORGETTING)
 CHECKS DRAWN ON NATL. SVGS. BK., PICO & MAIN BR. RETD. AS FOLLOWS:
 1. 4th St. (UNKNOWN NAME) 2. 4th St. (UNKNOWN NAME) 3. 4th St. (UNKNOWN NAME)
 4. 4th St. (UNKNOWN NAME) 5. 4th St. (UNKNOWN NAME) 6. 4th St. (UNKNOWN NAME)

Wm. A. Henderson

BUREAU OF IDENTIFICATION
 Visalia, Calif.

Circular No. 271

WALTER GRIFFES Wanted For Bad Checks

Description: Age 15 yrs., height about 5 ft. 8 ins., weight about 125 lbs., slender build, blue eyes, light brown hair. Last seen wearing waist overalls, tucked in 14 inch top boots, blue shirt, gray cap. Cashes one and two dollar checks at pool halls, or ten and fifteen dollar checks at clothing stores, making purchases and getting balance in cash.

Hold felony warrant. Arrest and wire.

Santa Barbara, Calif.,
 July 14th, 1924.

Cir # 6149

WANTED FOR PIOT CHECKS. -----C.B. DOWNS.

Age about 30
 Height 5'11
 Weight about 190
 Dark hair
 Med complexion.
 Auto salesman

Downs is a very neat dresser and will make friends anywhere.

Warrant issued.

ALSO have felony warrant for following party:

GEO. SPANGLING, Jr.,
 27 yrs of age,
 5'8", 82-in.
 160 lbs.

Light hair; grey eyes, fair complexion, smooth shaven.
 Is light bag new gray-blue with brown check stripe suit, size 39
 loose fitting plain bottom pants, value \$25, purchased at Billy
 Wright Co. 7-24 with worthless check. Also purchased with a
 worthless check one Elgin open face, green gold watch, set dial
 raised gold letters, numbers unknown.
 (Fridley-Blunt, Check Bureau).

Any information regarding above parties will be appreciated

J. S. VANCEY
 Chief of Police,
 Long Beach, Cal.

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 F. B. Kutz,
 Supt. Bu. of Records.

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Series 1024-25

California Bankers Association

San Francisco, July 15, 1924

Circular No. 312

(THIS CIRCULAR SHOULD BE INSERTED IN C. B. A. BINDER FOR REFERENCE.)

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BUREAU OF IDENTIFICATION.
Sheriff's Office.
Santa Ana, Calif.

Cir.No. B-270.

July 18, 1924.

W A N T E D

The following described persons are wanted here on felony warrants charging #100 " Issuing Bank Checks with intent to defraud".

660 *Apprehended per notice dated 4/5/24*
WILLIAM M. LAZENBY, american, age: 41 yrs.; hgt.: 5ft9"; wgt.: 160 lbs.; build medium; hair light brown; eyes grayish-blue; medium complexion; occupation: Stock and Real Estate Salesman. Booze-fighter. Passed several checks in Santa Ana, Calif. signing above name to same. *most likely S.F. 50116*

961
HARRY A. OWEN, american, age: 44 yrs.; hgt.: 5ft10"; wgt.: 210 lbs. hair brown-gray; eyes blue; build stout; complexion medium; occupation: Real Estate Salesman. Neat dresser, is partial to gray suits. Driving a Chevrolet touring car. Passed a \$57.00 bum check on a local garage man.

967
HOMER CRAIG, american, age: 17 yrs.; hgt.: 5ft2"; wgt.: 115 lbs.; eyes blue; hair brown; complexion medium; occupation Laborer. Has a 1 1/2" cut scar on chin.

F.P. Cl.: 9 R Ref. 9
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Craig is a ward of the Orange County Juvenile Court, and is wanted for passing several bad checks in this city, and for violating his probation.

If any of these men are located, arrest, hold, and notify me at my expense, will send for them.

By: H. J. Zabel.
Bu. of Ident.

SAM JERNIGAN.
Sheriff.

BUREAU OF IDENTIFICATION-SHERIFF'S OFFICE.
Santa Ana, Calif. July 28, 1924.
Cir. B-273.

963
WANTED FOR PASSING
"NO FUND" CHECKS.

M. J. MARTON, american, age: 25 yrs.; hgt.: 5ft8"; wgt.: 160 lbs.; build stocky; hair black; eyes blue winks with cane and limp with left leg. Buys woman's clothes with bum checks, states wife is in hospital. Arrest 1 hold felony warrant. By: Zabel.
SAM JERNIGAN.
Bu. of Ident. Sheriff.

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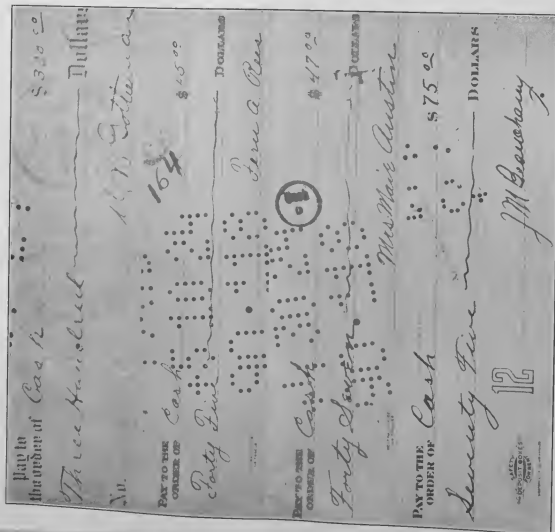
CALIFORNIA BANKERS ASSOCIATION

Series 1924-25

San Francisco, July 15, 1924

(THIS CIRCULAR SHOULD BE INSERTED IN C. B. A. HINDER FOR REFERENCE)

Forgeries of Checks Drawn to "Cash," Now Being Passed Direct at Banks on Which Drawn



The above is reproduction of handwriting appearing on forged checks now being passed by a forger who draws his checks to "Cash." The method of operation is as follows: The forger obtains a check from a bank, now under arrest, and is believed to be using the name of his gang. Signatures are obtained from discarded checks, and the forger uses them to draw checks. The checks are then passed to the banks and individuals, and when presented for payment are already undetected. Note the makeup of these checks. They are always the same. Note especially the numbers. Check is always drawn to "Cash." Figures are always made as shown in the illustration; amount is always written out as in the illustration. The amounts range from \$40 to \$800. The checks are always presented to the banks by a stranger. The only place this forger can operate is at a bank. Paying tellers must familiarize themselves with the method of operation. The California Bankers Association offers a special reward for the apprehension of this forger. If he appears at your window, don't let him get away. He is a dangerous man. So far he has been very successful and will continue until caught.

Issued by Order

PROTECTIVE COMMITTEE, CALIFORNIA BANKERS ASSOCIATION

WM. G. HANSON, Gen. Mgr.

Santa Barbara, Calif.
July 14th, 1924.



Member
International Association
for Identification

WARNING NOTICE
BAD CHECK PASSERS
WANTED BY
Nick Harris Detectives

LOS ANGELES OFFICE, TOP FLOOR PANTAGES THEATRE BLDG
H. E. HURLEY, Supt. Bad Check Dept.

Offices:
LOS ANGELES
NEW YORK CITY
SAN FRANCISCO
SAN DIEGO
SANTA ANA
SAN PEDRO
LONG BEACH
HOLLYWOOD
PASADENA

PHONE
Metropolitan 1332

NOTICE TO MERCHANTS—If any person attempts to pass check described below, detain on some pretext (without accusing) phone local office and agent will be sent and assume charge.

BULLETIN #242, INDEX #4460, JULY 31st, 1924.

CHURCH STATION SOCIAL NATL. BK. MAIN & PICO BR. RETD.
"NO ACCT." GIVEN AT 133 1417 EAST PICO ST. (NO SUCH #) SEE
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BULLETIN #342, INDEX #4458, JULY 31st, 1924.

JOHN T. DOLAN,
CHECKS DRAWN ON CITIZENS NATL. BK. AMT\$75. "NO ACCT." GIVES
1105 VAN DYKE BLDG. AS ADDRESS BUT IS "UNKNOWN." THERE, SEE PAGE:

BULLETIN 342, INDEX 4451, JULY 31st, 1924.

FRANK J. CURTIS, JR.
CHECKS DRAWN ON HELLER BK., 7th & FIDELITY ST. ARE RETURNED.
ACCT. # FATHER TALK, AGE 27 or 28, DARK BR. HAIR & EYES, REFINED,
EXCLUSIVELY DRESSED. GIVES ADDRESS AS 753 S. PLO. TR. (NO SUCH #)
SEE BUREAU FILE.

BULLETIN #342, INDEX #4402, JULY 31st, 1934.

STANLEY REDFORD,
PHENIX LIFE & FIRE INSURANCE TRUST & SVCS. CO. PROPRY BR. REP
"NO ACC." GIVE ADDRESS 1410 N. 4th St. (UNK) (OWN) (E) 3PE
CAGS: LIR:

PLANTING 342, I 681 4407, JULY 31st, 1904.

PROCESSED BY HOUSE COMMITTEE, (CONGRESSIONAL)
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BUREAU OF IDENTIFICATION
Visalia, Calif.

Circular No. 271

WALTER GRIFFES

Wanted For Bad Checks

Description: Age 15 yrs., height about 5 ft. 8 ins., weight about 125 lbs., slender build, blue eyes, light brown hair. Last seen wearing white overalls, tucked in 14 inch top boots, blue shirt, gray cap. Cashes one and two dollar checks at pool halls, or ten and fifteen dollar checks at clothing stores, making purchases and getting balance in cash.

I hold felony warrant. Arrest and wire.

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Series 1924-25

San Francisco, July 15, 1924

THIS CIRCULAR SHOULD BE INSERTED IN C. B. A. BINDER FOR REFERENCE

Circular No. 312

Age 54--5 feet, 9 inches--170 pounds, smooth face, dark complexion, dark hair, Hebrew features. Usually wears his hat well back on his head. Follows races and frequents gambling houses and dice games. Smart business-like talker. Familiar with all lines of business. Represents himself as one of family of business people or merchants.



Photo taken in 1909

First Natl Bank of Los Angeles

Case Two hundred and Two

M. J. Baker.

Universally Trust Co of ^{Kentucky} Missouri

A. J. Leroy

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Nov 24th

On Dec. 7, 1921, forged name of "A LITTS, Jr." to check for \$300. Cashed at Cleveland, Ohio.

On July 12, 1923, forged name of "M. J. BAKER" to check for \$200. Cashed at Cleveland, Ohio.

This man always uses name of a big merchant or manufacturer in a distant city. Visits stores and pretends to study methods of operation. After bank hours asks for cashing of checks.

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"WILIA SUMMERS. 167
Described as follows: Wanted for Forgery
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Described as follows: American; age 25 or 30 years; 5 feet, 8 inches; weight, 135 pounds; light brown hair, blue eyes, light complexion; wore dark blue suit and long coat.

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MO. Goes into business houses about closing time, buys small purchases and presents check paying for same, taking balance in cash. Passed FORGED check here on June 28th. She is usually giving a fictitious address here in the city. She claims accompanied by a man, in shirt sleeves, whom OHIO American; age, about 30 years; height, 5 feet, 9 inches; weight, about 150 pounds; brown hair, brown eyes, ruddy complexion; small, brown moustache.

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JAMES C. BYERS, Sheriff.

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BUREAU OF IDENTIFICATION,
 Sheriff's Office,
 Santa Ana, Calif.

City R-267.

July 12, 1924.

FORGER AND CHECK KITER WANTED. 168

WANTS MALLORY WOOD, American, age: 36 to 40 yrs.; hgt.: 5ft 10" to 6ft.; wgt.: 200 to 210 lbs.; build stout; hair light and wavy; eyes blue; complexion; large full face; prominent nose; sandy eyelashes; occupation: Automobile Mechanic, Automobile Racer, Movie stunt man. SEE ENCLOSED PHOTO.

Then here was dressed in gray knickerbockers, light shirt, low brown shoes, brown stockings and wore a cap.

M. O.: Woods made his first appearance in this county at Balboa Beach, where he took rooms in a hotel. He represented himself to be an Internal Revenue Officer and flashed a badge to prove it. Also stated that he was connected with the Mack Bennett Movie Outfit of Hollywood, Calif. On July 4th he asked the manager of the hotel to cash him a \$35.00 check, written on the California Bank, Los Angeles, Calif., and which was signed "James Wood". This check came back marked "No Account". On the next day, July 5th, he gave the payment of his hotel bill, which came to sixty dollars, a \$100.00 Draft, made payable to cash, written on the Merchants National Bank of Los Angeles, Calif., signed "Del Lord". "Del Lord" is the manager of the Mack Bennett Movie Outfit, and has declared the draft to be a Forgery. On July 7th, Woods purchased from a local Jeweler a Diamond Ring and paid for same with a \$350.00 check, written on the Security Trust and Savings Bank, Spring and Seventh Streets, Los Angeles, Calif., signed "James Wood." This check was returned by the Bank marked "No Account". He also passed a "No Account" check on a Drug Store at Balboa Beach, Calif., for \$25.00. On Saturday July 5th, he married a woman named ELANOR E. FINTPATRICK. This woman had been living at Balboa Beach with him as his wife. She is described as follows: age: 35 yrs.; hgt.: 5ft 2"; wgt.: 110 lbs.; slender build; blond bobbed hair; blue eyes; She is supposed to have parents living at 5133 Washington Blvd., Chicago, Ill. Woods is driving at Cadillac Pheasant, touring car, Calif. State Lic. No. 460-218 (460-218) which is registered to one B. H. Kendall, 207 W. 2nd Street, Los Angeles, Calif. It is possible that Woods is travelling at present under the name of Kendall.

YOUR COOPERATION TO APPREHEND THIS MAN IS HEREBY SOLICITED. SHOULD YOU ARREST HIM, NOTIFY ME AT ONCE, WILL EXTRADITE.

By: H. J. Zabel,
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SAM JERNIGAN,
 Sheriff.



BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION, MADERA, CALIF.

CIRCULAR No. 146.

Madera, Calif., July 15th, 1924.

ARREST FOR FICTITIOUS CHECKS

Folsom
 #12038

Ed Bault, age 21, weight 140, 5 ft. 5 in, dark brown hair, blue eyes fair complexion, heavy build, large ears, butcher by trade, walks quick step was dressed in blue serge suit with grey cap.

Tattoo, woman's head on right arm in a circle, also has another arm beneath woman's head.

This man enlisted in the army in 1919 in Fresno and when he was driving a Ford Coupe, 1924 license No. 334-790, engine No. Model, Ruxtell rear end, Hassler Shock Absorbers. Had a young by name of Ethel Dunn or she may go by name of Ethel Bernice Ja

Arrest, hold man and car as I hold felony warrant for Bault, and I will send for him at once.

BUREAU OF RECORDS
 Police Department
 Bulletin No. 640. Aug. 1, 1924.

ARREST, I hold FELONY WARRANT for the following named man:

R. E. HENRY, passing Fictitious Checks.
 5 ft. 4-inches.
 About 125 lbs.
 Light complexion.
 Smooth shaven.

Wears glasses; wears Smirner's pin; claims to be an INVESTIGATOR (?). Claims to be related to Will Hayes, Motion Picture Director General. May be found around Motion Picture Camps. Passed several fictitious checks on local merchants, in every instance giving fake address.

(ORDINARY-BLUNT)

JOHN H. BARNEII
 Sheriff, Madera County

BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION.
 Sheriff's Office.
 Santa Ana, Calif.

Cir. B-267. *capt. Patton caught Portland 6521* July 12, 1924.

FORGER AND CHECK KITER WANTED. 168

JAMES MALLORY WOOD, american, age: 36 to 40 yrs., hgt.: 5'10" to 6'1", wgt.: 200 to 210 lbs.; build stout; hair light and wavy, eyes blue; nose prominent; large full face; prominent nose, sandy eyelashes; Florida complexion; large full face; prominent nose, sandy eyelashes; occupation: Automobile Mechanic, Automobile Racer, Movie Stunt Man. SEE ENCLOSED PHOTO.

Then here was dressed in gray knickerbockers, light shirt, low brown shoes, brown stockings and wore a cap.

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BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION, MADERA, CALIF.

CIRCULAR No. 146.

Madera, Calif., July 15th, 1924.

ARREST FOR FICTITIOUS CHECKS

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 Ed Bault, age 21, weight 140, 5 ft. 5 in, dark brown hair, blue eyes smooth shaven, fair complexion, heavy build, large ears, butcher by trade, walks very erect and quick step was dressed in blue serge suit with grey cap.

Tattoo, woman's head on right arm in a circle, also has another mark on right arm beneath woman's head.

This man enlisted in the army in 1919 in Fresno and when he left Madera he was driving a Ford Coupe, 1924 license No. 334-790, engine No. 7799575, 1923 Model, Ruxtell rear end, Hassler Shock Absorbers. Had a young lady with him by name of Ethel Dunn or she may go by name of Ethel Bernice Jackson.

Arrest, hold man and car as I hold felony warrant for Bault, and wire me and I will send for him at once.

wears glasses; wears Simmer's pin; claims to be an INVESTIGATOR (?). Claims to be related to Will Hayes, Motion Picture Director General. May be found around Motion Picture Camps. Passed several fictitious checks on local merchants, in every instance giving fake address.

(FRIDLEY-BLUNT)

JOHN H. BARNETT
 Sheriff, Madera County

California, Calif.
September, 15th, 1924.

City 6245.

WANTED FOR FICT CHECKS-----HOWARD H. SMITH.

Age 30 to 35 years.

Height 5'8

Heavy set.

Ruddy compx (very)

Round face.

Fair dresser.

Tattooed on both arms.

Smith is inclined to be a prize fighter and also hangs around pool rooms, also claims to be a champion road bum will bum rides in autos from town to town. Wire all information collect.

L. Desgrandchamp,
Chief of Police.
WARRANT ISSUED.

BUREAU OF RECORDS
Department of Police-----Long Beach, Cal.,
Bulletin No. 601. August 6, 1924.

ARREST, I HOLD FELONY WARRANTS, for the following named and described:

E.O. BEACH

49 years of age, 5-7 inches, 150 lbs.
Brown grey hair, frontal bald.
Brown eyes,
Fair complexion.
Smooth shaven.
Wears glasses.

Same as WANTED Dallas, Texas, same name, Oct. 28, 1921, Felony Swindling, purchased Scrips Booth auto with bogus check.

Purchased Buick 6 roadster this city giving check for \$950.00 in payment for same, check returned No Funds. Buick is described as Calif. Lic. #71-767, Motor 954562. I hold felony Warrants predicated on theft of car and issuing bogus checks.

I am anxious to cause this fellows arrest and ask your co-operation in the matter.

Any information, advise.

J. J. YANCY
Chief of Police.
Long Beach, Cal.

(GOTT-DILTS)
Auto Detail.

F.B. Kutz, Supt.,
Bureau of Records.

BUREAU of RECORDS
Department of Police --Long Beach, Cal.
Bulletin No. 607. July 23, 1924.

ARREST, I HOLD FELONY WARRANTS for the following named and described:

E.C. IRVINE, passing bogus checks.

35 years of age, 5-8", 150 lbs.
Dk. brown hair, dark complexion, peaked face.
Smooth shaven.
Wears dark brown suit of clothing, soft Fedora hat.
Wife is with him, about 26 yrs. of age, wears brown suit.
Both are trained nurses by occupation.

IRVINE purchased Buick auto, giving bogus check for \$500.00, same returned from bank marked "No Funds"; IRVINE disappeared, taking car with him.
Car is described as Buick coupe, model 49, maroon color, 1923 model, Cal. Lic. 524-620, Motor 940068.
Car equipped with Hartford shock absorbers and Gabriel snubbers; both front tires smooth, rear both cord, extras two Firestones nobby tread cord.

STEVE JENNINGS, passing bogus checks.

24 yrs. of age, 5-6", 145 lbs.
Black hair, dark complexion.
Smooth shaven.
Passed check for \$125.00 on a friend, check returned from bank marked "Has no account".

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R. M. BIEBEY, american, age: 45-50 yrs., hgt.: 5'6", wgt.: 150 lbs.; hair brown; eyes brown; build medium; medium complexion; occ: Cement worker. Bought a lunch box for \$2.50 from a local furnishing store and paid for same with an \$18.00 bogus check, receiving balance in cash. Arrest this man I hold felony warrant.

LEWIS E. PERKINS, alias POWERS, alias many, american, age: 55 to 60 yrs., hgt.: 5'6", wgt.: 150 lbs., hair gray; eyes either blue or brown, medium compl.; medium build, bow-legged, walks stoop shouldered. This man passed a number of bogus checks in this vicinity, patronizing service stations and buying Ford tires. Very seldom makes his checks larger than his purchases. Has the appearance of a retired farmer. Arrest I hold felony warrant.

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THE FARMERS NATIONAL BANK 39-7

OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLA. 8/5/24

No. 156

Clever Bank

Clever Bank Swindler!

Arrest. I hold felony warrant charging **FORGERY** and **FICTITIOUS CHECKS** for C. V. Zinker alias F. B. GRIMES, alias E. U. MANNING alias JAS. J. TATE, alias O. F. SNELL, alias M. P. LAYTON, ETC. This man is described as 33 to 40 years old, 5 feet 9 inches in height, 135 pounds, Chestnut hair greyish, Grey Eyes, Tanned Complexion, Smooth Shaven, Full Round Face, Has deep voice. Nationality, American. While in Long Beach he was dressed in gray blue suit, wore stylish straw hat, had the appearance of conservative business man.

This man who is known to have operated in California for the past two years, defrauding many banks out of large amounts, and who is thought to be the same as M. P. Layton, alias J. M. Mathey, wanted by Los Angeles Police in bulletin dated January 17th, 1924, Vol. 17, No. 14. Pictures circulated with this bulletin were not identified as the man Zinker by bank attaches in Long Beach, Calif., but the Modus Operandi and handwriting is almost identical.

MODUS OPERANDI

This man who gave his name to bank attaches as C. V. Zinker, first made his appearance one week ago at one of our local banks. He made himself acquainted with an official of the Escrow department, claiming he wanted to purchase a home, the value not to exceed \$10,000.00. The banker referred him to a local real estate man with whom he started negotiations for a home which was to be sold at \$8,000.00. Zinker mentioned to the real estate man that he would meet him at the escrow department of the local bank in a few days and place \$15,000.00 in escrow pending the outcome of the deal.

In the meantime Zinker met other bank officials and conversed with them regarding the pending sale of a piece of property in Oklahoma City, Okla., in which he was offered \$50,000.00, and also showed them a letter purporting to have been written to him by Lee Huchings, wealthy hotel owner of Oklahoma City, advising him not to sell for less than \$35,000.00, the real value of the property. On August 11, 1924, the date of the crime, and also the day of the appointment in the escrow department of the bank with the real estate man, Zinker took three checks, (face-values shown herewith) and received an O. K. from one of the bank officials, and deposited them, receiving credit for the amount of \$35,000.00. He then mentioned needing about \$5,000.00 to buy furniture, etc., for the new home and made out a check for \$15,000.00 (Face-value herewith) which the bank paid him in cash. Zinker never kept his appointment with the real estate man in the escrow department. The checks proved to be fictitious and the certified check certification forged.

While in Long Beach he had some stationery printed bearing the firm name of American Investments Co., Halle Building, Oklahoma City, Okla., and may use the firm name in some future swindle.

This man is a clever forger and every effort should be made to apprehend him. Please notify your local banks. This man will operate soon in your district.

Should this man be arrested, hold, wire this department at our expense and an officer will leave for him at once. Any information concerning the activities of this clever bank swindler and forger will be appreciated.

THE FARMERS NATIONAL BANK 39-7

OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLA. 8/6/24 40 No. 156

PAY TO THE ORDER OF *Chas. V. Zinker* \$27,500.00
~~TWENTY SEVEN THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS~~
E. U. Manning
 DOLLARS

OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLA. August 6th. 1924 No. 92

SECURITY NATIONAL BANK 39-12
 PAY TO THE ORDER OF *Chas. V. Zinker* \$14,750.00
~~FOURTEEN THOUSAND SEVEN HUNDRED FIFTY DOLLARS~~
J. J. Tate
 DOLLARS

OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLA. August 6th 1924 No. 118
FIRST NATIONAL BANK 39-1
 PAY TO THE ORDER OF *Chas. V. Zinker* \$13,750.00
~~THIRTEEN THOUSAND SEVEN HUNDRED FIFTY DOLLARS~~
Jas. J. Tate
 DOLLARS

LONG BEACH BRANCH
SECURITY NATIONAL BANK
 LONG BEACH, CALIF.
 PAY TO THE ORDER OF *Chas. V. Zinker* \$4,500.00
~~FOUR THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS~~
E. U. Manning
 DOLLARS

WANTED OR FELONY WARRANTS.

FICTITIOUS CHECKS:

L. A. JENNINGS, apparently about 28 years of age; height, 5'7"; weight, 138 to 140 lbs.; brown hair; sailor complexion, worked at the cement plant at Monolith, Calif., passed bad paper and then disappeared, being last heard from at San Francisco.

F. B. BYERS, Age, 31 years; height, 5'8"; weight, 133 lbs.; blue eyes, heavy, curly blonde hair, combed straight back; a number of thin, horizontal scars on forehead; wears nose glasses; is (or has been) in connection with that order in passing his bogus paper. Was last heard from at Monolith, Calif., and was headed for Los Angeles or to Venice, Calif., or points south. This is an aggravated case and we ask your co-operation. Arrest and wire at our expense.

Rockersfield Dec 11/24

ARREST FOR FELONY ¹⁸⁵

OBTAINING MONEY UNDER FALSE PRETENSE

ROBERT RAYNOR, English born, age 24 years, height about 5 feet 8 inches, weight about 130 pounds, smooth shaven, dark brown curly hair, blue eyes, small mole on right cheek, a welder in R. R. shops by occupation. Left here driving a 1924 Maxwell Club Sedan, motor C-488559, carrying 1924 California state license 586-986.

I hold felony warrant, notify

O. W. B.
Supt. B. of I.

W. A. SHAY, Sheriff.



ARREST FOR FELONY

Issuing Fictitious Checks

C. RIVERS, alias S. Wings, alias N. Shorten, alias S. Carter, alias J. R. Ortego, alias W. Glass, alias J. Punett, alias F. Tallo, and alias F. Tacco, an Italian or Mexican, age 21 to 23 years, height about 5 feet 4 inches, weight about 130 pounds, smooth shaven, medium light complexion, broad forehead, eyes dark and wide apart, dark curly hair.

On August 23rd last, this party entered the office of the Ontario Planing Mill and Manufacturing Co., and stole blank checks, numbered from 4673-78, 4685-96, 4706-14, 4730-35, 4766-76 and 4887-92. He is putting out these checks using the above aliases. Checks are signed N. A. Godsave, President, Ontario Planing Mill and Mfg. Co.

I hold felony warrant. Notify

W. O. HARDY
Chief of Police

W. A. SHAY, Sheriff.

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George C. Chutuk

Checks Without Funds.

Description: Age about 30 yrs., height about 6 ft., weight about 180 lbs. dark eyes, dark complexion. Native of Austria and speaks with slight accent.

Heavy cigarette smoker and pool hall loafer.

If located, arrest and wire. I hold felony warrant.

R. L. HILL,

Sheriff Tulare County

Visalia, Calif.

Dated Sept. 8, 1924.

CIRCULAR NO. 51

MODESTO, CAL., Sept. 3, 1924.

Wanted For Forgery

JOHN ENOS, age 31, height 5 feet 10 inches, weight 190, black hair, black eyes, high cheek bones, long nose, pointed chin. This man is driving a 1921 Studebaker Light Six Touring, License No. 317-780, Engine No. 26-356, red wheels, black body, motor-meter, Gabriel snubbers all around, four Federal non-skid tires.

Enos is accompanied by his wife and two small children. The wife is about 28 years old, short and fairly stout, weight about 135. Children, one age 6 months, the other 3 years.

Watch all camp grounds, and if located arrest Enos, hold car and wire. I hold felony warrant.

G. M. HOGIN, Sheriff.

W. O. M. KESSEL, Supt. B. of L.

ALL CIVIL CHECKS-----NOME MOORE Alias E.A. MORGAN,

W.F. ADAMS & LEWIS POST.

Age 60 years.
Height 5'6
Weight about 155
Brown hair (greying)
Fair comp.

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As Nome Moore Santa Barbara # 600
As Folsom # 11642.

Moore is probably traveling in a auto and will call at different places buying articles and giving a bad check, or may represent him self to be a foreman on some contract job.

Arrest and wire all information collect.

Santa Barbara

8/25/24
I. Desgrandchamp,
Chief of police.

POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT
POLICE OFFICE INSPECTOR IN CHARGE
NEW YORK, N. Y.

REG. NO. 10855-E
PITTSBURGH, PA.
AUGUST 15, 1924

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FUGITIVE FROM JUSTICE—ARREST DESIRED

If located, arrest hold, and telegraph, government rate collect, to above officer and Geo. V. Craighead, Post Office Inspector, Pittsburgh, Pa.



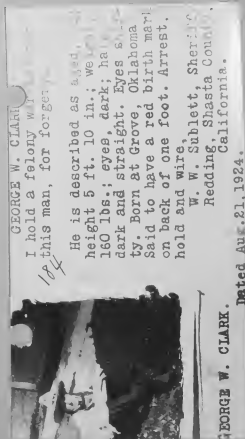
Forger and swindler, using forged cashier checks for \$25,000 in pretense to buy business advertised for sale.

Description
Age, 29 years, married, Dec. 23, 1921, at Washington, D. C.
Weight, 145 pounds.
Height, 5'8 1/2 inches.
Color, white.
Hair, dark brown.
Teeth, several gold lower per left side; one upper left front; one upper left front on right forearm.
Tattoo, butterfly on right forearm.
Born, Chicago, Ill.
Wife, Lillian Duffin, of Philadelphia, Pa.

CHAS. WENDELL

who has used names of Herbert Chas. Washburn, Robert E. Carline, John L. Hartford, H. A. Johnstone, Robert Dowling.

September 15, 1924



GEORGE W. CLARK
I hold a felony warrant on this man, for forgery.

He is described as aged, height 5 ft. 10 in.; weight 160 lbs.; eyes, dark; hair, dark and straight. Eyes said to have a red birth mark. Said to have a red birth mark on back of one foot. Arrest, hold and wire.

W. W. Sublett, Sheriff, Reading, Shasta County, California.

Dated Aug. 21, 1924.

GEORGE W. CLARK.

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF OF POLICE
POLICE DEPARTMENT

Circular # 1-a

Richmond, Cal. August 25, 1924

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BAD CHECK

ARTISTS.

ED BROWN; 35 to 40; 6-0; 140; Blond Hair; Dark gray suit; Dark Calico shirt; Cap; Slender looks as if tubercular; Teeth bad one upper front gone; Sunken cheeks; Painter. Was employed by local painter, quit, forged his bossname to checks. Works any store.

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ROY GANS; 30; 5-8; 140; Slender, Very red nose; Dark coat Army breeches, leather leggings, Cap; Claimed to be employed at a gasoline station at 5760 San Pablo Ave., Oakland, Cal. This is same party wanted in most Bay Cities for same offense. Works Gents Furnishings.

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CHARLES F. LANG; 26; 5-9; 165; Blue eyes; L. Brown hair; Very loud talker gruff voice; Is goofy; Roughly dressed old brown suit; Dark gray overcoat; Dark hat. Claims to be Electrician. Passed checks; no funds on his friends, and acquaintances.

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ARTHUR LEB; 40 to 45; 5-9; 185; Smooth shaven, light Comp.; Dark suit; Black hat; Blue shirt knit tie; new pair blucher bull dog toe shoes; Claims to be a carpenter. Worked Army Store.

We hold Felony Warrant for each of the above named men if located arrest hold wire me my expense. Will send officer for their return here.

Det. Com.
Chief of Police.



FRANK HARRISON, alias FRED WITT, alias HANRATTY.

Color, white; eyes, blue; age, 31; height, 5 feet 10 inches; weight, 155 pounds; hair, light brown, partly bald; light complexion; slender build; neat dresser; a pleasant conversationalist, and generally taken for a traveling salesman.

During the night of July 11th, 1924, the post office at Valier, Illinois, was burglarized and blank money order forms, numbered 32801 to 33000, inclusive, were stolen, together with a small amount of postage stamps. On the same night the C. B. & Q. R. R. depot at this point was broken into, a pouch cut open, and about twenty-five ordinary letters stolen.

Since the robbery a number of these money order forms have been filled out for from \$10.00 to \$25.00 each, and passed on merchants in the larger cities by the man whose picture is shown above. He, accompanied by a woman, has been traveling in a Hudson Sedan equipped with a trunk carrier on back, bearing Illinois license plate No. 889-599.

The description of the woman, who has presented a few of these orders, follows:

About 25 or 30 years of age; 5 feet 6 or 7 inches in height; weighs about 125 to 130 pounds; black or dark blue gown; has long dark hair and dark eyes.

This couple has passed money orders in Chicago, Effingham, Henry, Joliet, Ottawa, Paris, Pekin, Springfield, and Westville, Illinois; Milwaukee, Wisconsin; Indianapolis, Indiana; Washington, Pennsylvania; Cumberland, Maryland; Richmond, Virginia, and Wheeling, West Virginia. If located, they should be held and the undersigned notified by telegraph, Government Rate, Collect.

AUGUST 22, 1924.

A. E. GERMER,
Post Office Inspector in Charge,
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS.

Re-Harrison 4700, Local 100.

FORGERY

Robert Epperson

Description: Age 20 yrs., height 5 ft. 10½ ins., weight 160 lbs., slender build, medium dark complexion; brown eyes, dark brown hair, Roman Nose.

Driving blue strip down Chevrolet, 1924 Calif. license No. 177-770. Given names of parties painted on hood and sides with white paint. Full camping outfit.

In company with two girls wearing coveralls and small girl about 6 years old and man named John Reynolds, alias Jack Hoffman, about 30 years old, decided limp in right leg.

Sheriff of Kern Co. holds felony warrant for Reynolds.

I hold felony warrant for Epperson. Generally stops for several days in auto camp grounds.

If located, arrest and wire this office or Constable D. O. Howard, Pixley, Calif.

R. L. HILL,

Sheriff Tulare County

Dated August 19, 1924.

Visalia, Calif.

Walter Griffes

BAD CHECKS

Description: Age 15 yrs., height 5 ft. 8 ins., weight about 125 lbs., very slender, blue eyes, light brown hair.

Modus Operandi: Makes purchases and offers small checks in payment, signing own name and giving his correct Visalia address. Most checks offered for automobile supplies.

This boy originally rode a motorcycle, but latest report is that he purchased an old Maxwell touring car, 1919 license No. 317-636, registered to Enos Rose.

He has passed checks in Los Angeles, San Francisco and Jackson.

Was last wearing khaki pants, high top boots and gray cap.

I hold felony warrant. Arrest and wire at my expense.

R. L. HILL,

Sheriff Tulare County

Dated August 12, 1924.

Visalia, Calif.

September 4, 1924

WARNING!

ADDING MACHINE REPAIR COMPANY

693 Mission St.

San Francisco, Cal.

Being Passed by A. S. MORRIS

We are informed that printed checks of the ADDING MACHINE COMPANY, 693 Mission St., San Francisco, from Nos. 1664 to 1699, inclusive, on the United Bank and Trust Company, San Francisco, were taken from the back of the firm's specially printed check book by co-partner Arnold S. Morris, who disappeared Tuesday, September 2, 1924, deserting a wife and year old baby.

It is alleged that A. S. Morris has passed six of these checks, to which he signed his own name and attached forged the name of C. C. Smith, his partner or used a fictitious name as one signer.

ARNOLD S. MORRIS is described as

25 years of age
140 pounds in weight
5 feet 8 inches in height
dark hair and complexion
is an expert adding machine mechanic and has appearance of a mechanic. Is an inveterate gambler.

His brother, Charles Morris, age 22, 5 feet 8 inches, 165 pounds, light hair and complexion, who was also employed as a mechanic by the above concern, disappeared at the same time and may be with Arnold Morris.

At the time of their disappearance these men took with them their full kit of adding and typewriter machine repair tools. They may seek employment in repairing bank adding machines or typewriters, and after doing the work ask to have a check cashed.

Felony warrant for A. S. Morris is held by Chief of Police of San Francisco, California.

Keep careful watch for checks of the ADDING MACHINE REPAIR COMPANY as above described, and for A. S. Morris. Should he appear at your bank detain him and notify your local police authorities.

Issued by order of Protective Committee,
CALIFORNIA BANKERS ASSOCIATION
F. H. Colburn, Secretary.



Frank Schreiber

319 B-277.

Police Department

Madison, Wis., Aug. 18, '24

I hold a state warrant for one Frank Schreiber for passing \$500.00 worth of worthless checks. He is 28 years old, 5 feet, 11 inches tall, weight about 195 pounds, dark complexioned. Occupation, Piano Salesman. If located, arrest, hold and wire me.

THOS. SHAUGHNESSY,

Chief of Police.

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Aug. 12, 1924.

CHECK-KITTY WANTED.

MRS. S. M. HANCOCK.

American
age: 35 yrs.
hgt.: 5'6"
wt.: 120 lbs.
build medium
hair: dk. brown and bobbed
eyes: dk. brown
uneven teeth in front of upper jaw.

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This woman passed several bad checks in city, signing above name. Is driving a Buick touring car Lic. No. 625-972.

With her is one Lawrence Hancock, a quarter

breed Indian.

age: 35 yrs.
hgt.: 5'7"
wt.: 165 lbs.
hair black
eyes dk. brown
brown complexion
sheepish look.

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If the above named woman is located, please arrest her, hold and notify me, will send for her.

By: Zabel.
Ch. of Ident.

SAM JERNIGAN.
Sheriff.

Handwritten signature

WANTED FOR PASSING WORTHLESS CHECKS

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Wanted for passing worthless checks, Aldon M. Jones, age 19 yrs., height 6ft, weight about 165 lbs., black hair, brown eyes, complexion not clear, good dresser, was wearing dark blue striped suit, narrow brimmed straw hat or cap, (Grey or Brown) Brown Oxfords, wearing Signet ring on left hand, third finger, "A. M. J."; carries white gold engraved watch, carries fountain pen and pencil to match in silver, open work; loud coarse voice, loud hearty laugh.

Probably will be hanging around pool halls, dance halls and gambling places. My sock employment as a salesman.

Last heard of was visiting with his uncle on August 1st, 1924, J. T. Strode, Henry Dale, Washington. Later seen on the streets in Seattle, Washington.

Birth address as E. C. Jones, suites 510-11-12-50, North La Salle St., Chicago, Ill. Grandmothers address Mrs. M. T. Strode, Brook, Indiana. Mothers address, Mrs. Chas. H. Carter, 129 Chevrolet Ave., A. T. 204, Detroit, Michigan.

P. S.-- A awfully anxious to apprehend this young man for the reason that he stopped off here on his way to the coast, called on his cousin, whom he was almost raised with for the purpose of inducing her to have his checks endorsed for the amounts of \$280.00, which was later returned worthless.

Warrant has been issued. Arrest, hold and notify me at my expense.



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Bert V. 130,
Chief of Police,
Billings, Montana

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WANTED FOR
PASSING
ISSUING WORTHLESS CHECKS

F. E. JONES, age 28 years, height 5' 6", weight 200 lbs., light hair combed pompadour, brown eyes, a small scar on forehead, has captain papers, is an electrician and battery man. Give any information to H. J. Sheriff, Clatsop County, Oregon.



CIRCULAR NO. 218

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SAM JERINIGAN,
Sheriff.

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Supt. B. of I.

I hold felony warrant.
Notify

W. A. SHAY, Sheriff.

San Bernardino

10/11/24

ISSUING CHECKS WITHOUT FUNDS
C. L. TAYLOR, American, age
about 40 years, height 5 feet 7 in.,
weight 135 pounds, smooth shaven,
dark complexion, dark hair, thin
face, has his wife, and little girl age
about 5 years with him. Is driving
an almost new Ford coupe, carry-
ing 1924 Calif. State commercial
license No. 79377.

WANTED FOR PASSING CHECK WITH NO FUNDS. by Sheriff
Office of San Bernardino 10/20/24

R. F. NORMAN.

Description as follows: American, 27 years old, 5' 6", 165
pounds, dark complexion. Worked for a Music Company here. Last
heard from in Los Angeles, California.

CIRCULAR NO. 218



TRUE FARMER
Wanted—For Forgery

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I hold felony warrant for forgery for this
man. Arrest him and wire me. I will send
for him.

DESCRIPTION: Age 38; Height 5 ft. 7 $\frac{3}{4}$ in.; Weight 168 lbs.; Blue
eyes; light brown hair; ruddy complexion; husky build.

This man works for a while, then goes on a drunk, hires a taxi, and
pays driver with checks signed "True Farmer" and "Martin Nielsen".

Recently bought a Buick Roadster (second hand) automobile, license
number 419414, and disappeared. He no doubt has this machine with
him. He paid for it with a bum check.

I want him badly. If located, arrest him and wire me. I will send
for him.

JOHN M. BOYES,
Sheriff of Sonoma County.

SANTA ROSA, CAL.,

Felony Warrant. Bad Checks

VAN RENNELAER STEINBERG. Age about 32 yrs., height about 6 ft. 2 ins., weight about 180 lbs., brown hair, medium complexion, large build.
This man deals in brokerage, dresses well and usually rents first class rooms.
I hold felony warrant. Arrest and wire.



Harley Chaney

Five feet, 9 inches in height, weight 135 pounds, dark brown hair, blue eyes, slender build.

I hold felony warrant charging Harley Chaney of Condon, Oregon with forgery.

Will arrange to extradite, if apprehended outside Oregon, if necessary.

Arrest, hold and wire are collect.

ELMER MONTAGUE

SHERIFF OF GILLIAM COUNTY, OREGON

Condon, Oregon, October 1, 1924.

Party signing checks G.B. Joyce, made payable to A. GUERRA, on the Security Trust & Saving Bank So. Pasadena Branch to the amount of \$19.75
This is one of the GOMEZ GANG, see Los Angeles Bul. of Sept. 10 th 1924 # 213.
Described as 29 to 30 yrs of age, height 5 ft 7 in. wght 145 Light for Mexican, thin face, hollow cheeks, snub nose.
Have defrauded several grocery stores here.

Robert Harriss Jr. passing checks on the National Bank of Pasadena Arizona, located at Phoenix Ariz. to the amount of from \$10.00 to \$20.00 signed by Mrs. Anna Harris.
Described as Age 26 or 27 yrs. Wght 155 to 160 lbs. Hght 5-8 1/2 Hair Brown, Eyes Brown, Complx. Dark, .

E.C. HARRIS passing cash checks to the amount of \$5.00 on the First Trust and Savings Bank Lake Ave Branch, Picks on small grocery stores.
Described as follows Age 30 yrs., Wght. 140, Hght 5-9, Hair Lt Brown, Complx. Medium, Dressed in a dark suit .

LEWIS E. PRENTISS Alias Lean Kingston, passing checks on different Banks to the amount of \$12.00 and \$ 14.00 using small gas stations for small supply and cash in change.
Described as Age 55 or 60 yrs, Wght 130, Hght 5-4 or 5. Hair Dark turning grey Complx. Med. Small moustache turning grey Dressed in a dark salt and pepper suit and a dark felt hat.

PETE DOTSON, Aliases B. Snowden, J.P. Freeland, R.F. Nelson, Billy Lusch, R.E. Johnson, passing checks in different amounts and on different banks. Described as follows.
Age, 24, Wght 130, Hght 5-5, Hair Brown Complx Med, This fellow is a good one and has put out a lot of paper here

LEY using First Trust and Saving Bank checks to the amount of \$7.00 and signing them H. Reid, claiming these are for work done and paid by a local Cafe man.
Age 28 to 30 yrs. Wght 140, Hght 5-7 or 8, Hair dark, dressed very well in a dark suit of cloths and a dark felt hat.

W. MYERS, Alias W.R. Larsen, passing checks on different banks and different amounts to the amount of 25.00 Will rent a room for a few days and establish identity then will insist that victum calling the landlord.
Claims that checks are for labor and pay checks.
Age, 30, Wght 160, Hght 5-9, Hair sandy Eyes Blue, Complx ., sandy, Dressed in a dark hat, Dark blue coat and overalls, looks like a working man and is dirty as though he had just got through on a job.

CITY & COUNTY BUREAU OF IDENTIFICATION,
Bakersfield, California,
October 13th, 1924.

ISSUED ON A "FELONY WARRANT, CHARGING FORGERY :"

BERT SLACK, Age, 50 to 55 years, height, about six feet; hair, brown and greying; eyes, some say dark brown, others say blue; is a watch repairer by occupation and a good craftsman; is slightly stooped; wears glasses occasionally; is slow speech, but a good mixer and tells funny jokes; smokes Camel cigarettes, drinks, gambles, and is somewhat of a woman's man. When last seen wore a light brown Norfolk suit, brown hat and low quarter cut English shoes; is a veteran of the Spanish-American war and his mother lives in Kansas. This man has passed forged checks to the extent of approximately \$500.00 in this locality and we are very anxious to apprehend. Arrest and wire this Department, our expense.

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THEODORE A. KEITH, alias J. E. Stewart, age 24, height 5 ft. 11 in., weight 135, hair blond, eyes grey, slender build, Tattoo left arm figure of a woman and initials J. E. S. This man formally worked in Los Angeles at Car Barn #3 as a motorman, he is traveling with a young fellow by the name of Paul K. Sagler who is a hunchback.

FRANK C. MARTIN, age 22, weight 160 lbs. height 5 ft. 8 in., eyes blue, complexion light, occupation laborer. This man hangs around pool halls.

If located arrest, hold and wire, I hold felony warrants.

G. M. HOGIN, Sheriff
Stanislaus County

Circular 23

SHERIFF'S OFFICE

Monterey County
Salinas, Oct. 6, 1924.

WANTED FOR FICTITIOUS CHECKS

Edward J. Lenehen, age about 30 years, height 5 feet 8 inches, weight about 145 pounds, thin face; some pimples, dark hair, nearly black, heavy eyebrows, meeting in center, diagonal mark between the eyes, slightly to the right, looks like powder burn, scar on chin, looks as if the chin had been nearly torn off from the bottom upward, and replaced, leaving a circular scar, heavier on left side, about 2 inches in diameter.

Wore brown fedora hat, blue serge suit, having handkerchief showing out of breast pocket, fine check shirt, blue tie, tan shoes.

Lenehen registered at Monterey Hotel, Sept. 28th, Sunday, Monday, Sept. 29th. Called at the office of the Monterey Investment Co. to be shown a ranch, which he bought, paying \$1000 deposit by giving a check on the Continental Bank, of Salt Lake City, in which he had no account. In the day he cashed a \$35.00 check on the Investment Co. receiving cash. He received a contract sale on the ranch and may be using the contract to put over other deals.

Sent wire to Monterey from San Francisco, giving his address as St. Francis Hotel.

Notify your brokers and real estate concerns.

I hold warrant for Lenehen, if located arrest and wire me at my expense.

W. A. OYER, Sheriff Monterey County,
Salinas, California.

CHIEF OF POLICE, Monterey, Calif.

ENDORSED
CASHED
BY BANK
IN THE ORDER OF

LINDSAY, CAL. 9/15/24 1924 No.

THE LINDSAY NATIONAL BANK 30-224

Is the order of *J. P. Bennett* \$26.00

Twenty six and 00/100

J. P. Bennett

James K. Patterson, Cash.

Dollars

Issued by D. G. HUNT

DESCRIPTION: Age 45 yrs., height 5 ft 11 ins., weight 170 lbs., medium build, medium light complexion, light blue eyes, medium brown hair. Eyes seem sunken, dark eye brows and lashes, large hands, slightly stooped.

Companions: A boy supposed to be his son, age about 18, height about 5 ft 6 ins., weight 140 lbs., medium build, medium dark complexion, dark blue eyes, dark brown hair, slender peaked face.

A woman believed to be in party because of nature of several articles purchased.

Modus Operandi:—Boy goes into store and picks out clothing, having it laid aside, saying father is contractor and will come in and pay for same when he receives his check. A couple of days later the man appears and presents check securing difference in cash.

The man sometimes purchases small bill of groceries and presents check right away, receiving cash for difference.

Checks usually in amount of \$26.50.

Articles Purchased: Suit of clothes for the boy, Lot S. I. No. 9332315, size 36, dark blue, light blue stripe and gold stripe half inch apart.

Arrest anyone found in possession of above suit or anyone answering the above description of D. G. Hunt. I hold felony warrant.

R. L. HILL,

Sheriff Tulare County
Visalia, Calif.

Dated Oct. 8, 1924.

ARREST THIS MAN FOR FICTITIOUS CHECKS



3333 C. S. BAUMAN, alias C. C. Bauman, Jr., age 24 years, weight 155 lbs., height 5 ft. 10 1/2 in., hair brown, eyes blue. Los Angeles County No. 43831

Bring this man to the Bureau for identification. 27-12-10-IM-20-22. Bring this man or any information to Detective Bureau for Ryan & John.

Felony Warrant. Bad Checks

VAN RENNELAER STEINBERGH, Age about 32 yrs. height about 6 ft., 2 ins. weight about 180 lbs., brown hair, medium complexion, large build.

This man deals in brokerage, dresses well and usually rents first class rooms.
I hold felony warrant. Arrest and wire.



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Five feet, 9 inches in height, dark brown hair, blue eyes, slender

I hold felony warrant charging Condon, Oregon with forgery.

Will arrange to extradite, if any Oregon, if necessary.

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SHERIFF OF GILLIAM COUNTY

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This is one of the GOMEZ GANG, see Los Angeles Bul. of Sept. 10 th 1924 # 213.
Described as 23 to 30 yrs of age, height 5 ft 7 in. wght 145
Light for Mexican, thin face, hollow cheeks, snub nose.
Have defrauded several grocery stores here.

Robert Harriss Jr. passing checks on the National Bank of Pasadena Arizona. located at Phoenix Ariz. to the amount of from \$10.00 to \$20.00 signed by Mrs. Anna Harriss.
Described as Age 26 or 27 yrs. Wght 155 to 160 lbs.
Hght 5-8 1/2 Hair Brown, Eyes Brown, Complx. Dark,

E.C. HARRIS passing cash checks to the amount of \$5.00 on the First Trust and Savings Bank Lake Ave Branch, Picks on small grocery stores.
Described as follows Age 30 yrs., Wght. 140, Hght 5-9, Hair Lt Brown, Complx. Medium, Dressed in a dark suit.

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Claims that checks are for labor and pay checks.
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CITY & COUNTY BUREAU OF IDENTIFICATION,
Bakersfield, California,
October 13th, 1924.

WANTED ON A FELONY WARRANT, CHARGING FORGERY:

ROBERT SLACK, Age, 50 to 55 years, height, about six feet; hair, dark brown and greying; eyes, some say dark brown, others say dark blue; is a watch repairer by occupation and a good craftsman; is slightly stooped; wears glasses occasionally; is slow in speech, but a good mixer and tells funny jokes; smokes Camel cigarettes, drinks, gambles, and is somewhat of a woman's man. When last seen wore a light brown Norfolk suit, brown Fedora hat and low quarter cut English shoes; is a veteran of the Spanish-American war and his mother lives in Kansas. This man has passed forged checks to the extent of approximately \$500.00 in this locality and we are very anxious to apprehend. Arrest and wire this department, our expense.

WANTED FOR FICTITIOUS CHECKS

THEODORE A. KEITH, alias J. E. Stewart, age 24, height 5 ft. 11 in.

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3334 ARNOLD W. STANTON, alias Staunton, Los Angeles City No. 22401, age 33 years, weight 145 lbs., height 5 ft. 6 1/2 in., brown hair, blue eyes. Finger-print classification: 5-1-A-U-4-3. Warrant has been issued and bail set at \$2500.00. Bring this man or any information to Detective Bureau for Ryan & John.

CHECK KITTERS

Signing checks Geo. W. Simpson and Geo. E. Peterson for the amounts of \$27.50 and \$24.50. Described as follows:-

Age:- About 35 to 40.
Weight:- About 180.
Height:- About 5-10.
Complexion:- Light
Hat:- Light Slouch.
Trousers:- Khaki.
Shirt:- Khaki.

3. Signing checks E. B. Whiting on printed checks of Southwest Adjustment Co. for \$30.00. Described as follows:-

Age:- About 35 to 40.
Weight:- About 165.
Height:- About 5-10.
Hair:- Dark Brown.
Eyes:- Medium Brown.
Complexion:- Medium.

Wore dark blue or black suit.
This party is well appearing and talked very little.

Signing T. C. Carlson, Secy. checks for \$14.80. Description:-Weight about 175, height 5-10, Age about 40, hair brown. Looked like working man, had lunch kit.

HARRY A. WILLIAMS Signing A. A. Crosby, check for \$32.50 on Pacific Southwest Bank. Description:- Age 26, weight 150, height 5-8, hair dark, eyes dark, complexion colored man, dark brown, blue shirt, wore overalls

Circular B-284

Oct. 8, 1924.

W A N T E D

on a felony warrant charging "Fict. Checks" other charges including Grand Larceny (Theft of Auto) pending:

EDGAR JOHN IRVINE, sign's his name E. J. Nat. American-Irish age: 34 yrs.; hgt.: 5ft9" wgt.: 190 Lbs.; build stout; black curly hair; dk. brown eyes; small black moustache florid complexion occupation: Salesman

Walks very erect, has a prominent chest, large wide face, short neck, a boyish look. With him is his wife and one 2 year old boy and one 4 year old boy. Wife is very light complected, has brown bobbed hair and blue eyes.

IRVINE is driving a Nash touring car, 1923, Model, Lic. # 615-618; Motor # 27531. Car is equipped with new Brunswick tires. Arrest this man, hold him and car and wire me.

223 RALPH CHANDLER, alias CHAMBERLIN American age: 30 yrs.; hgt.: 6ft1 to 2" wgt.: 160 Lbs.; black hair gray eyes; slender build; occ: Auto Salesman.

Has high cheek bones and deep set eyes. With him is his wife age 28 yrs.; hgt.: 5ft7"; wgt.: 160 Lbs.; has bobbed black hair; stout build. CHANDLER embezzled the following car:

Chevrolet touring car, Lic. # 170-076 Motor # H-13041, 1923 model-5 passenger; car is painted black with a gold stripe, is equipped with Good Year and Silvertown cords. ARREST THIS MAN, HOLD HIM AND CAR AND NOTIFY ME, I HOLD FELONY WARRANT AND WILL SEND FOR HIM.

By: Zabel.
Bu. of Ident.

SAM JERNIGAN.
Sheriff.
I hold felony warrant for Both.

JAMES ROSS, SHERIFF.

Security Trust & Savings Description:- Age 25, 5-8, Hair light, Eyes blue, lean shaven, American, 704 N. Fair Oaks, in the South Pasadena Branch Co., Calif.

ember 30, 1924.

FICTITIOUS CHECKS

Weight, 205---

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GEORGE H. KENT.

GEORGE H. KENT, an American, age about 30 years, height about 5 feet 5 inches, heavy set, weight 170 to 180 pounds, smooth shaven, light complexion, blond hair, blue eyes. Claimed to be a cook by occupation.

Is putting out checks on the American National Bank, San Bernardino, pay to George H. Kent, signed to them the names of J. Keith and J. Morgan.

I hold felony warrant, notify

O. W. B.
Supt. B. of I.

San Bern'do 10/11/1924
W. A. SHAY, Sheriff.

CANCEL CIRCULAR NO. 400. CAR RECOVERED AND MEN APPREHENDED.
CANCEL CIRCULAR NO. 386. APPREHENDED.
CANCEL CARD NO. 391. EARL SMITH APPREHENDED.

Issuing Fictitious Checks

BERT J. DAWSON, an American, age about 30 years, height about 5 feet 10 inches, weight about 185 pounds, stocky build, smooth shaven, dark complexion, thick lips, black heavy hair. Is driving a Twin Six Packard touring car.

I hold felony warrant.

Notify

O. W. B.
Supt. B. of I.

10/11/1924 J. B. D. O.
W. A. SHAY, Sheriff.

ARREST THIS MAN FOR FICTITIOUS CHECKS

...and the man answering the following description, who is wanted for wearing bad checkered pants, light-colored shirt, hat, not bobbed, very nervous and actions would lead one to believe she has St. Vitus dance, very prominent nose, and a very small chin does not appear to be in her hair.

STEPHEN LINCOLN, English actor

CHECK KITTERS

HARRY BRIGGS.

Signing checks Geo. W. Simpson and Geo. E. Peterson for the amounts of \$27.50 and \$24.50. Described as follows:-

Age:- About 35 to 40.
Weight:- About 180.
Height:- About 5-10.
Complexion:- Light
Hat:- Light Slouch.
Trousers:- Khaki.
Shirt:- Khaki.

M. L. SAUNDERS. Signing checks E. B. Whiting on printed checks of Southwest Adjustment Co. for \$30.00. Described as follows:-

Age:- About 35 to 40.
Weight:- About 165.
Height:- About 5-10.
Hair:- Dark Brown.
Eyes:- Medium Brown.
Complexion:- Medium.
Wore dark blue or black suit.

This party is well appearing and talked very little.

J. B. RYAN.

Signing T. C. Carlson, Secy. checks for \$14.80.
Description:-Weight about 175, height 5-10,
Age about 40, hair brown.
Looked like working man, had lunch kit.

HARRY A. WILLIAMS

5. Signing A. A. Crosby, check for \$32.50 on Pacific Southwest Bank. Description:- Age 26, weight 150, height 5-8, hair dark, eyes dark, complexion colored man, dark brown cap, dark blue coat, blue shirt, wore overalls

STANLEY SHAW.

 Passed check on the Security Trust & Savings
 Bank for \$10.00. Description:- Age 25,
 Weight 150, Height 5-8, Hair light, Eyes blue,
 complexion light, clean shaven, American,
 wears plain nose glasses.

I. M. SANDERS.

 Signing check I. M. Sanders, 704 N. Fair Oaks
 check for \$10.00 on the South Pasadena Branch
 Santa Ana, Calif.

September 30, 1924.

REFRED HILL---Arrest him for---FICTITIOUS CHECKS

Age, 44, ---Height, 6'1, ---Weight, 205---

Cook by Trade. Periodical Drunk. Plays :ottery.

This man will be found around Chinese quarters playing the Lottery, or the chinese will hang him up at his work to sell him tickets.

Is a member of the Knights of Pythias and will probably attend their meetings where ever he may be. Has a wife and family in this city.

A L S O

Arrest---PERCY A MITCHELL---for---FICTITIOUS CHECKS

Age, 25---Height, 5'6---Weight, 135, Slender.

Will run with a Fast Young Set and will do no real work.
May be found driving Taxi or working as Bell Hop.

I Hold Felony Warrant for Both.

JAMES ROSS, SHERIFF.

GEORGE H. KENT, an Issuing Fictitious Check—

ARREST THIS MAN
Warrant Issued



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ARREST FOR BURGLARY

ARREST as a Fugitive from Justice from Kansas City, Kansas, where he is wanted for burglary, extradition papers prepared:

ROBERT B. (BOB) BRIGHT, age 28; height 5 feet 6 inches, weight 145 lbs; hair auburn, eyes grey; pleasing personality, is a good mixer, and usually called Bob. Is an ex-soldier and has lived at Memphis, Tenn., Chicago, and Kansas City, Mo. He is believed to have come to Los Angeles on or about July 18th from Palo Alto, Calif., driving Durant auto, California License No. 699-699. Send this man to the Detective Bureau for Ackley-Kirk.

WANTED FOR FORGERY

P. J. DOYLE

Age 35 years; height 5 ft. 8 or 9 in.; weight 155 or 160 pounds; dark complexion; smooth shaven; dark hair. Bones in right shoulder crack when arm is extended upward.

Doyle has been employed in oil fields—worked near Coalinga, California, as driller. While in Sacramento, August 7th, 1924, he forged a bank check upon the Bank of Colfax, this County.

Kindly make search in and about your Oil Wells. If located hold and wire any information, my expense.

I hold Felony Warrant of Arrest and will pay \$20.00 for the arrest of P. J. DOYLE upon delivery.

ELMER H. GUM, Sheriff,
Placer County, Calif.

RE



REFER TO NO 5027.

POLICE DEPARTMENT
PALO ALTO, CALIFORNIA

H. A. ZINK
CHIEF OF POLICE

CIRCULAR No. 108.

October 18, 1924.

OBTAINING PROPERTY BY FALSE REPRESENTATIONS.

TIME: August 20, 1924.

SUBJECT: ADELINE KENNEDY (female).

35 yrs.
5 ft., 3 in.
115 lbs.
Slender build.
Brown hair.
Dark complexion.
Commanding manner of speech.
Accompanied by man about 25 yrs. old.
Buick auto, old; green color.

DETAILS:

This young woman went into Smith's Sporting Goods Store, Palo Alto, said she wanted to rent a typewriter, paid \$1.50 for one week's rental, gave a fictitious address, took the typewriter out to her automobile, and neither she nor the typewriter have been heard from since.

ITEM TAKEN:

1 - Underwood Typewriter, Model 5, No. 998484.
Used.

H. A. ZINK,

Chief of Police.

\$25 Reward

For Arrest and Detention of

C. L. LOWRY

Alias, D. Jackson; alias, J. S. Renick.
Wanted in Klamath Falls, Oregon, as D. Jackson, for forgery.

DESCRIPTION

Age, 30; Height, 6 feet 2 inches; Weight 155 pounds; Complexion, medium; Eyes and hair brown. I have no Prints or Measurements. Is strong for traction engines and caterpillars. Was employed for short time by the Holt Manufacturing Company, and may be found running such engines.

Was last seen in Sacramento, California, on September 2nd, where he attempted to pass several large forged checks in payment for goods ordered, and for which he had no right to order. In each instance he would offer a check for a much larger amount for payment and then when refused to cash the check would have goods sent C. O. D.

If found, arrest, hold and wire me.
Please write or wire any information.

J. F. MORLEY, Constable.

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ARREST FOR MURDER



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 DAMON SANDOVAL, Mexican,
 age 35, height 5 ft. 10
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 trimmed moustache, thick lips, black
 hair. This man is slender build, and
 when last seen was wearing a black
 or a blue suit with a high black
 collar. He is a cement worker by oc-
 cupation.

This man shot and killed his wife
 and brother-in-law and also seri-
 ously wounded his mother-in-law in
 this city on the morning of October
 10th. A warrant has been issued
 for his arrest and notify the
 Detective Bureau. (Chie, et al.)

*Det. J. J. Chie, et al.
 10/10/24*

IN RE: MORTON S. HAWKINS.
 USING MAILS TO DEFRAUD

The above subject, Morton S. Hawkins of Portland, Indiana. President of the Hawkins Mortgage Company, and head of an alleged swindling syndicate of nation wide proportions, and 19 other defendants were indicted at Indianapolis, Indiana, on March 10, 1924, for using the mails to defraud. Case set for trial October 1, 1924, at which time subject Hawkins failed to appear and his \$7,500. bond was declared forfeited, and is now a fugitive. He is recognized as an authority on Small Loan Banking and is the originator of the Hawkins system and the Welfare Loan Institutions. He was last seen at Cincinnati, Ohio, about 11 P. M., September 30, 1924.

(Apprehended at Dayton, Ohio 10/25.)

DESCRIPTION:
 (Photo attached)

- Age - about 42
- Height - 5' 10"
- Weight - 160 pounds
- Hair - dark, partly bald in front
- Eyes - dark
- Complexion - tanned
- Teeth - good, slightly uneven
- Beard - smooth shaven
- Supposed to have, at one time, owned a yacht at Miami, Fla.
- Color - white
- Nationality - American
- Scars or marks - has long legs and short body
- Very neat, flashy dresser
- Habits - likes liquor, fond of race horses
- Handwriting - signature attached
- Wears large diamond stick pin
- Shrine pin in coat lapel
- Occupation - president of Hawkins Mortgage Company.

Subject married a banker's daughter about a year ago in Atlanta, Ga. They became separated about five months ago. His father is dead and his mother is Mrs. Geneva Hawkins, Portland, Indiana. His sisters are Estella Hawkins, Paul and Lillian Hawkins Jones, and an uncle, Frank B. Juqua, all of Portland, Indiana.

Make every effort to locate this man. Request the cooperation of all peace officers in your district, and, if arrested, wire this Bureau and Special Agent in Charge E. L. Osborne, Federal Building, Indianapolis, Indiana.

*Special Order 170
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Very truly yours,

Dept. of Justice, Wash., D. C.

J. E. Hoover,

Acting Director.

WANTED FOR GRAND LARCENY.

PETE STORM.

See file 744/84

237.

See 190

Age 48 years. Height, 5 feet, 9 inches. Weight, 170 pounds. Dark complexion. Hair mixed with gray on sides and thin on top. Teeth false. Carpenter by trade. Wears gray suit, brown hat and black shoes. Is well known in Salinas. Was in San Francisco on September 6, 1924. Wanted for stealing a FORD ROADSTER. License 221598. Motor 7616263. Arrest and wire. I hold felony warrant.

I HOLD FELONY WARRANT FOR THE ARREST OF
HARRY HAMILTON
 CHARGED WITH OBTAINING MONEY AND PROPERTY
 BY FALSE PRETENSE.

DESCRIPTION—Age, 35; Height, 5 feet 8 inches; Weight, 130 pounds; Complexion, dark; Eyes and hair dark; smooth shaven, dresses well, uses very good language in talking, but speaks very fast; is of nervous temperament; by occupation an automobile salesman. If found, arrest, hold and wire me. Please wire or write any information.

J. F. MORLEY, Constable, Klamath Falls, Oregon.

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JACK RACHEL, American, age 24 years, height 5 ft. 7 in., weight 160 lbs., light blonde hair, gray eyes, scar over right eyebrow; may speak a little Spanish; second toe on right foot half missing. Notify Asst. Capt. Hickok, Auto Theft Bureau, or L. C. Wheeler, Agt. in charge U. S. Dept. of Justice, Los Angeles, Cal.

Thursday, August 7, 1924 *8:04 P.M.* Vol. 17 No. 186
WANTED FOR VIOLATION NATIONAL MOTOR VEHICLE ACT



FRANK BARNED

Barned was born and lived in London, Ontario, and is an Electrician.

On Saturday afternoon, September 27th, 1924, Barned deliberately drove his Automobile upon the sidewalk on Epworth Circle, this City, and ran down three people, killing Smylie Muirhead, and breaking Ruth Barned's leg. Mrs. Muirhead escaped injury. Ruth Barned is the wife of Frank Barned.

Please cause search to be made for this man, and if apprehended, wire the undersigned and an Officer with Warrant will be sent for him.

Niagara Falls, Ontario,
October 1st, 1924.

Name, Frank Barned.

Age, 26.

Height, 5 ft. 6 inches.

Weight, about 180 lbs.

Dark brown hair, large brown eyes, dark complexion, round full face, very heavy about the shoulders and chest. His legs are small; on his right leg he wears a brace, and is very lame in his right leg. Cause of lameness—he had infantile paralysis when a child.

Was wearing a grey suit and a grey fedora hat.

This Photo is a good likeness of BARNED which was taken some time ago, but recently he has been wearing a small mustache, clipped short.

A neat dresser, and very neat appearing for a cripple.

STEPHEN WELCH,
Chief Constable.



CLARK AUTOMOBILE CO

HUDSON AND ESSEX

Distributors

Johnson City, Tennessee

\$100.00 Reward

August 27, 1924

Chief of Police

Dear Sir:--

A man named York W. Porter left here about two weeks ago with a Hudson 7-Passenger Touring Car on which he owes us a balance of purchase money of about \$600.00.

We think there is a young woman with him and have reason to suppose he may be in your town.

We will pay \$50.00 reward for information that will recover this car and an additional \$50.00 for the retention of the car.

This car has Serial No. 110753 on dash under hood, and Motor No. 174163 on left front motor support which supports engine on frame.

Car has Tennessee license tags and top has been torn and repaired on left side at rear.

We have title retained contract for debt against this car, which is past due and we authorize any officer to take possession and hold this car for us, and if necessary to hold the car the man may be arrested for a felony.

Porter is about 35 years old, weighs about 170 pounds, dark complexion and has been in the poultry commission business.

Our references if required "DUN COMMERCIAL AGENCY."

Respectfully,
CLARK AUTOMOBILE COMPANY

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ARREST, I HOLD FELONY WARRANTS FOR THE FOLLOWING NAMED AND DESCRIBED PERSONS:

CAL BAILY, (Photo enclosed).

35 yrs of age,

5-8 1/2"

180 lbs.

Blue eyes, Lt. Ch. hair.

Ruddy complexion.

Labourer.

Finger Print Classification 1 U a 5

(Arm staff at right wrist; flesh growth over rt ear. Chin dimpled).

Record: Admits 4 yrs. Jefferson City, Mo. Pen #21859 charge, Murder.

Same as San Francisco No. 35285, arrested Apr. 4-1924 Grand Larceny, dismissed April 5, 1924.

Above description and photo courtesy of San Francisco Police.

OSCAR RIDDLE, alias HAWK

42 years of age.

5 ft. 6-inches.

130 lbs.

Dark ch hair,

Dark eyes,

Dark complexion.

Cancelled 5/6/25

Felony warrants for these two men have been issued charging Grand Larceny, theft of money to the amount of \$300.00, and I am anxious to have them apprehended. I will extradite from any place.

Any information, advise at my expense.

(Smith & Mozley).

Bulletin 617 - Sept 6, 1924

Respectfully,

J.S. YANCY,

Chief of Police,

Long Beach, Cal.

F.B. Kutz, Supt.,
Bureau of Records.



WANTED FOR VIOLATION OF THE WHITE SLAVE TRAFFIC ACT,
MILES D. PACKARD.

MILES D. PACKARD, (married) while living with wife and child at St. Cloud, Minnesota, transported Madeline Wilbert Salter alias Madeline Sevier from St. Cloud to Le Mars, Iowa, where they were married. Packard was apprehended at Omaha, Nebraska and returned to Minnesota where he was indicted May 8, 1924 at Fergus Falls, Minn.

He has forfeited bond and warrant is now held by the U.S. Marshal at St. Paul, Minnesota.

When he disappeared he took his legal wife and child (age 3) and none of them has been heard from since.

DESCRIPTION: *Cancelled - (Surrendered @ Chicago 6/13/27)*
(Photo attached hereto)

Age 26 years,

Height 5' 9"

Weight 165 lbs.

Hair, dark brown,

Eyes, gray,

Complexion, medium-smooth shaven,

Occupation, taxi driver.

Formerly a motorcycle policeman of Police force at St. Cloud.

Subject's step-father Tom L. Seavey, his mother and his legal wife's father William Hart reside at St. Cloud, Minnesota.

Apprehend and notify Special Agent in Charge M. J. Johannes, Federal Building, Minneapolis, Minnesota and this Bureau at Washington, D. C.

Ind. Ct. C. 662

Sept 13, 1924

Sept. 13, 1924, J. C.

Very truly yours,

J. E. Hoover,

Acting Director.



WANTED GRAND LARCENY & OPERATING
AUTOMOBILE, Case A-9478

Blonde hair, blue eyes, 5'11, 220, 46 years. Looks like
Coke and claims to be an ex-railroad man. Dark suit
and dark Fedora hat. Also has operated hotels and apart-
ment houses. Is said to have a wife residing at E. 86th
Street, Cleveland, Ohio. Description of automobile, Buick
Sedan, 1921, Model 47, Engine 747037, 1924 Cal. Lic. 913,
656.

I hold felony warrants for the above described persons.
Kindly arrest, hold, and wire at my expense.

JAMES PATRICK,
Chief of Police.

WJH/303

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D.H. MORGAN,
S. Diego
Oct 8, 1924

ARREST THIS MAN FOR
ROBBERY

We Hold Felony Warrant

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CRAIG GILES, alias Craig Giles,
American, age 19 years, height 5 ft.
4 or 5 in., weight 140 lbs., light com-
plexion; wore gray trousers, blue
coat; bank clerk by occupation. Will
probably be driving a Star touring
car, License No. 716663, Engine No.
68646. Notify our Detective Bureau
(Mahoney, Houston, Learnihan).

Niagara Falls, Ontario,
October 1st, 1924.

STEPHEN WELCH,
Chief Constable.

File 100-200-111



Mr. Bernard MacNamee,
Chief of Police,
Sacramento, Calif.

October 18, 1934.

In reply please refer
to File No. 6200
FRANKLIN L. MORENO.

Dear Sir:

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I hold Valid Warrant for FRANKLIN L. MORENO, aliases Franklin L. Miller, De la Moreno, Ramon Castellanos, charged with kidnaping, rape and grand larceny. I am enclosing his picture and description.

This man is a two-time loser, a Mexican by nationality, but an American citizen. When he left here he was driving 1918 Ford Touring car, license 400-355, the back of which is very badly dented from a smash-up and is easily noticeable. He was accompanied by MARIA L. MORENO, whom he kidnapped and whose description is: 17 yrs. old; thin build; medium complexion; wore black dress, no hat, green sweater, low buckled shoes.

This man was previously arrested on a rape charge, expiration of his term being Aug. 5, 1934, and while in jail he became acquainted with one of the prisoners, and after leaving jail went to this prisoner's home and told his wife and sister-in-law that he was going to assist in getting the man out of jail. He loaded the prisoner's wife and sister-in-law and trunk into a stolen Ford, and later ditched the prisoner's wife and left with the girl.

I have a letter from the girl stating that they are in Sacramento and have been married and are receiving mail General Delivery under the name of Ramon Castellanos and Maria Mercado. 249

I am very anxious to apprehend both, and wish you would use every effort in apprehending them.

Thanking you for past favors, I am

Very respectfully,

W. I. TRAMER, Sheriff.

WANTED FOR MURDER--\$100 REWARD

For information leading to the arrest of Jack Daly, nicknamed "Blackie," wanted for murder; weight about 150 pounds, height 5 feet, 7 inches, swarthy complexion, rather large nose, thick lips, has slight Southern accent. One front tooth on upper left jaw is broken off or decayed. Will notice this when he talks or laughs. Lower jaw habitually drops down. Walks with rolling gait, as though stiff in knees. May be with another man known as "Slim," real name C. B. Love; height 5 feet, 11 inches or 6 feet, slim build, sandy hair

sprinkled with a little gray, dark complexion, has an ugly-looking face. This man is wanted for complicity in the same murder. Both of these men are gamblers, and will be found around I. W. W. camps or around cheap rooming houses. Both men should be arrested and detained, and the undersigned notified immediately by wire.

GEO. W. SEARS, Sheriff

Dickey County, Ellendale, N. Dak.

[Both Photos are of Jack Daly]



DEPARTMENT OF POLICE, SAN DIEGO, CALIF.
Bureau of Identification. *Cancelled per notice* October 8th, 1934.

WANTED BURGLARY. 11/5/35

CASE-9217.
Light brown hair, blue eyes, 5'4" 115, 35 years, medium light complexion. Wore dark gray cap, blue serge suit. Drives a Buick Touring, Lic. 1,111,056. Is said to be a U.S. Sailor.

STEWART BAKER, 247

WANTED BY THIS DEPARTMENT

NOTE: This Department holds Arrest Warrants for persons whose description appears under this headline.

WANTED FOR BURGLARY

These two men are wanted by the Piedmont Police Department for burglary, warrants issued:

No. 1. George Alexander MacDonald: Age 18; height 5 ft. 7 in.; weight 136; grey blue eyes; dark blonde hair; fair complexion. Occupation, laborer. Oakland No. 2438-D. Finger-prints: 5/17 R 1/11 L 19/19. Ref.: T/T.



No. 2. Albert John Souza: Age 22; height 5 ft. 7 1/4 in.; weight 137; dark complexion; brown eyes; medium complexion; top of left ear off. Occupation, engraver. Oakland No. 49-N. Finger-prints: 9/5 Ua/U -/8. 250-A

If these men are located or arrested notify this Department or B. F. Racker, Chief of Police, Piedmont, California.

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Mugshot of Identification
Med-left varicose
When last seen was wearing overalls with blue shirt. Is an ex-sailor.



ARREST FOR RAPE

Warrant Issued, L. A. County Department of Justice for violation White Slave Traffic Act. LOUIS PETTI, Frenchman, age 38, height 5'4", dark hair, dark complexion, dark eyes, dark hair, sprinkled with gray. Has been living in Los Angeles for about 3 years, formerly resided 1623 New Jersey street. Notify Detective Bureau, or Chief of Police, United States Department of Justice, Los Angeles, Cal.

We have against S. medium co. Finger. Notified

DAVID POLINSKY alias DANIEL POLIN

Description: About 39 years of age, 6 feet, 185 pounds, light brown hair, grey blue eyes, very round shouldered, wears glasses. Works as an auctioneer. Has been in the Jewelry business.

Chief of Police, Fresno, California, holds felony warrant charging Bigamy.

I hold warrant charging, Non-Support.

Arrest, I will send for him.

San Francisco, Calif.
September 5th, 1924

BUREAU OF IDENTIFICATION
Visalia, Calif.

Circ. No. 282
Second Issue



FRED G. LOTTMAN FAILURE TO PROVIDE

Age 36 yrs., height 5 ft. 7 3/4 ins., weight 147 lbs., medium build, chestnut hair, partly bald, average complexion, brown eyes.

Crimson birth mark on left cheek.

Carpenter by occupation.

Arrest and wire.

GEORGE GARDNER - wanted for embezzlement

GEORGE GARDNER, 36 years of age, 5 feet 10 inches in height, medium build, smooth face, rather light hair combed pompadour, walks very erect, slight impediment in speech, one front tooth missing and gold back ground in place of it, second and third fingers on left hand amputated at tips, neat dresser and usually wears dark gray or blue clothes and low tan shoes.

He is supposed to be operating a Vette Touring Car, either black or dark blue body, Ohio license No. 48-126; serial No. 121788, motor No. VS-2127, 1922-23 Model.

Wanted for the embezzlement of \$144.00 in currency from the Stroud-Michael Co. of 1740 East 12th St., Cleveland, Ohio.

In seeking employment will no doubt apply for position as a specialty salesman in electrical appliances or some similar line.

Kindly cause search and inquiries to be made for this man. If apprehended, wire at my expense and officer with proper papers will be sent to return him.

Cleveland, Ohio - 9/15/24. JACOB GRAUL, Chief of Police.

George Leonard Howes

This man is a music teacher and goes from town to town and put on plays and pageants under the auspices of the churches.

Description: Age 50 yrs., height 5 ft. 11 ins., weight 165 lbs., medium build, ruddy complexion, gray eyes, iron gray hair, gray mouthache and wears glasses.

I hold misdemeanor warrant. Arrest and notify this office.

R. L. HILL,
Sheriff Tulare County

Dated Sept. 8, 1924.
Thursday, October 2, 1924

Visalia, Cal

ARREST FOR EMBEZZLEMENT



3332

We hold felony warrant charging embezzlement, \$8500.00 involved, against S. L. DONOHUE, American 37, height 5 ft. 11 in., weight 185 lbs., medium complexion, dark hair and eyes.

Finger-print classification: 9-4-U/-OO MO-14-19.
Notify our Detective Bureau (Capt. Longuevan).



Nathan Newby

aged 32 years, height 5 feet and 8 inches, weight 125 lbs., slender build, dark complexion, hair dark, neat gray suit, light cap. His trade is that of a baker.

Has scar under left arm; big scar by burn on his back; eyes dark brown. He is a good baker, probably working at his trade or in a grocery store.

Arrest him and wire at my expense

C. E. CRIDDLE,
Sheriff of Bonneville County,
Idaho Falls, Idaho.



Mr. Edward McShane,
Chief of Police,
Sacramento, Calif.

October 18, 1934.

In reply, please refer
to File No. 5430
FRANKLIN L. MORRIS.

Dear Sir:

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I hold Wulong Warrant for FRANKLIN L. MORRIS, aliases Frank-
lin L. Miller, Louis Moreno, Ramon Castellanos, charged with kidnap-
ing, rape and grand larceny. I am enclosing his picture and descrip-
tion.

This man is a two-time loser, a Mexican by nationality, but
an American citizen. When he left here he was driving 1918 Ford Tour-
ing car, License 490-855, the back of which is very badly dented from
a smash-up and is easily noticeable. He was accompanied by MARIA L.
MOREZ, whom he kidnapped and whose description is: 17 yrs. old; thin
build; medium complexion; wore black dress, no hat, green sweater,
low buckled shoes.

This man was previously arrested on a rape charge, expira-
tion of his term being Aug. 5, 1934, and while in jail he became ac-
quainted with one of the prisoners, and after leaving jail went to
this prisoner's home and told his wife and sister-in-law that he was
going to assist in getting the man out of jail. He loaded the prison-
er's wife and sister-in-law and trunk into a stolen Ford, and later
ditched the prisoner's wife and left with the girl.

I have a letter from the girl stating that they are in
Sacramento and have been married and are receiving mail General
Delivery under the name of Ramon Castellanos and Maria Moreado. 249

I am very anxious to apprehend both, and wish you would use
every effort in apprehending them.

Thanking you for past favors, I am

Very respectfully,

M. I. TRAPP, Sheriff.

and Los Angeles 24

Los Angeles

WANTED FOR MURDER--\$100 REWARD

For information leading to the arrest of Jack Daly, nicknamed "Blackie,"
wanted for murder; weight about 150 pounds, height 5 feet, 7 inches, swarthy
complexion, rather large nose, thick lips, has slight Southern accent. One
front tooth on upper left jaw is broken off or decayed. Will notice this when
he talks or laughs. Lower jaw habitually drops down. Walks with rolling
gait, as though stiff in knees. May be with another man known as "Slim," real
name C. B. Love; height 5 feet, 11 inches or 6 feet, slim build, sandy hair
sprinkled with a little gray, dark complexion, has an ugly-looking face. This man
is wanted for complicity in the same murder. Both of these men are gamblers, and
will be found around I. W. W. camps or
around cheap rooming houses. Both men
should be arrested and detained, and the
undersigned notified immediately by wire.



GEO. W. SEARS, Sheriff

Dickey County, Ellendale, N. Dak.

[Both Photos are of Jack Daly]



ARREST THIS MAN

3214
WIN M. HAUCK, charging bigamy,
whose description is as follows:
American, 6 feet, 170 lbs., blue
eyes, red face, thick lips, complexion
ruddy, 24 years.
Marks of identification: Scapula
marked with initials "W. H." and "H. W."
When last seen was wearing over-
alls with blue shirt. Is an ex-sailor.



ARREST FOR RAPE

Warrant issued, L. A. County
Department of Justice for violation
Also wanted by United States De-
partment of Justice for violation
White Slave Traffic Act.
LOUIS PETT, Frenchman, age 33,
height about 5 ft. 4 in., dark com-
plexion, dark eyes. Has been living in
Los Angeles for about 3 years, for-
merly resided 1623 New Jersey
street. Notify Detective Bureau, or
Special Agent in Charge, L. A. County
Department of Justice, Los Angeles, Cal.

DEPARTMENT OF POLICE, SAN DIEGO, CALIF.
Bureau of Identification. Cancelled per notice
October 8th, 1934.

WANTED BURGARY.
11/15/35

CASE-9217.
Light brown hair, blue eyes, 5 ft. 11 1/2 in., 135 years, medium
light complexion. Wore dark gray cap, blue serge suit.
Drives a Buick Touring, Lic. 1, 114, 055. Is said to be a
U.S. Sailor.

NOTE: This Department has never before
whose description is so thoroughly pe-
rfectly effective with
difficult task with
These two men are wan-
tation for burglary, warrants
No. 1. George Alexander
5 ft. 7 in.; weight 136; gray
fair complexion. Occupa-
Finger-prints: 5/17 T/R L/



No. 2. Albert John
weight 197, dark comple-
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Notified

DAVID POLINSKY alias DANIEL POLIN

Description: About 39 years of age, 6 feet, 185 pounds, light brown hair, gray blue eyes, very round shouldered, wears glasses. Works as an auctioneer. Has been in the Jewelry business.

Chief of Police, Fresno, California, holds felony warrant charging Bigamy.

I hold warrant charging, Non-Support.

Arrest, I will send for him.

San Francisco, Calif.
September 5th, 1924

BUREAU. OF IDENTIFICATION
Visalia, Calif.

Circ. at No. 282
Second Issue



FRED G. LOTTMAN FAILURE TO PROVIDE

Age 36 yrs., height 5 ft. 7 3/4 ins., weight 147 lbs., medium build, chestnut hair, partly bald, average complexion, brown eyes.

Crimson birth mark on left cheek.

Carpenter by occupation.

Arrest and wire.

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Sheriff Town City

Dated Sept. 8, 1924.
Thursday, October 2, 1924

Visalia, Cal

ARREST FOR EMBEZZLEMENT



3382

We hold felony warrant charging embezzlement against S. L. DONOHUE, American 97, height 5 ft., medium complexion, dark hair and eyes.
Finger-print classification: 9-4-U/-OO-MO.
Notify our Detective Bureau (Capt. Longueva).

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William J. Quinn,
Acting Chief of Police



Chief of Police.

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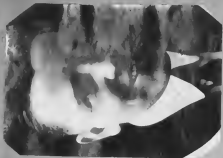
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C. E. CRIDDLE,
Sheriff of Bonneville County,
Idaho Falls, Idaho.

E.D. LOOMIS



I hold felony warrant for embezzlement for the above named person described as light brown hair, blue eyes, 5 feet 6 inches, 190 pounds, 30 years, medium complexion. He was wearing a blue serge suit, straw hat and black low cut shoes. The enclosed photograph is a good likeness of this subject.

Loomis left this city driving a four passenger Nash, 1920 Sport Model, gray body, two Savage cord tires on rear wheels, license number 940,228, engine number 55,034. This car is registered to Mrs. E.D. Loomis.

Before coming to San Diego, Loomis lived at Long Beach, Cal., and also stayed for a short time at the Rosslyn Hotel, Los Angeles, California. About two weeks ago he received from his mother, the postmark on the envelope showing letter was mailed from Bakersfield, California. Loomis does business with W.P. Wagg & Co., Stock Exchange in Los Angeles, California.

MODUS OPERANDI

While selling stock in this city for the Vanderbilt News-Loomis obtained some stock from an old couple which he diverted into Vanderbilt stock. With a forged power of attorney he then sold the stock which he obtained and appropriated money for his own use.

Should you be successful in locating this party, please arrest, hold and wire, and I will send an officer for him.

Thank you in advance for your earnest co-operation in this matter.

Yours respectfully,

JAMES PATRICK.

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF OF POLICE
POLICE DEPARTMENT

Richmond, Cal. September 8, 1924.

WANTED

MISDEMEANOR

ELONZO MCKINNEY; 21; 6-0; 160; Blue or Grey Eyes; Dark Hair; Parted on side; Wearing tan suit, soft hat, and leather Oxford shoes;

Will have with him the following described girl for

whom he is charged with the crime of: "CONTRIBUTING TO THE DELINQUENCY OF A MINOR."

ANNA KAYLOR: 15 looks 20; 5-5; 108; Long light brown hair; Dark Blue Eyes; Two upper front teeth protruding. Wearing black hat and black short plush coat. Photographs of each above described enclosed herewith.

This couple will no doubt be found living as man and wife, any effort to locate them will be appreciated, if found keep under surveillance, wire me my expense, will send warrant for his arrest.

Sheriffs receiving this circular kindly check your Clerk's Office for a marriage license issued to them, if so kindly notify me.

PORTLAND POLICE DEPARTMENT
September 25, 1924.

#7065 ASSAULT & ROBBERY: He held felony warrants and Grand Jury indictments charging assault and robbery, for the following described men:

20/ No. 1, 320000 E. FIZER, alias "Curley" Fizer, age 32 years, 5'4", 114 lbs., dark complexion, dark brown hair, dark gray eyes; Portland #3451, Los Angeles #19264.

20/ No. 2, ADOLPH GRACO, alias Jack Silvers, age 33 years, 5'8 1/2", 140 lbs., nationality, Italian, dark complexion, black hair, maroon colored eyes, Oakland #6413, San Francisco #24593, Seattle #5247.

20/ No. 3, ALBERT BERGMAN, age 25 to 30 years, 5'9", 150 lbs., dark complexion. These men are bootleggers, and will be found in company with prizefighters, bootleggers and people of like character.

These men, in company with William Neilson, who is now under arrest in Los Angeles, held up and robbed Otto Lohman, a messenger for the Kenton Bank, on July 21st, 1924, at 9:30 a.m., obtaining \$2,000.00 in cash. Arrest hold and wire all information collect.

L. V. JENNINGS, Chief of Police.

JOHN P. MOORE, Chief Inspector of Police, Room #2-A



I am writing you with regard to one Al Gardner alias R.A.H. (or, alias A.H. De Vaux, who is described as follows: 24, 5ft. 4, wt. 120 lbs. Is French descent, and speaks with French accent, scar on right side of his head, smooth shaven, blue eyes, dark brown hair.

I have been informed that sometime in 1923 either in February or September this man absconded from some collection agency in Sacramento, perhaps this man might be wanted by you.

I hold a warrant for this man and had have traced him as far as San Francisco September 9th. about noon.

I am very anxious to land him if it is you will write me and tell me if files in regard to the case just mentioned give me any thing in this regard I will give you my co-operation in trying to land him.

Waiting to hear from you soon in



Yours,

John A. Kopp
of Malibu

Italian, age 32, 5 ft. 6 in., 130 to 140 pounds, dark eyes and hair, had a scar on his right forehead. He has a meet whorl in his right forehead and hands may be cut, caused by breaking same. When he left here he wore a dark

Age 38, Height 5 ft. 9 in., Weight 170 pounds. Brown hair light complexion; scar over one eye.

\$50.00

T. A. Kopp



Tattoo mark, large Japanese woman on shoulder, Eagle on arms. Marks on other. Fallen arches in his feet.

Steve Ralston

AUTOMOBILE EMBLEZZLEMENT

Stolen from J. A. Kopp, Cedar City, Utah, August 4, Buick 4 Cylinder Coupe, 23 model, Serial 1007041, Motor 1029055; Utah Dealer's License 19A; Khaki Colored Upholstering; Stolen Plates Idaho 10461; may change plates again. Maroon color newly painted; 1 Diamond Cord Extra tire. He is a cook and Restaurant Manager. Search Hotels, Restaurants, Camps, Bridge Outfits. Arrest; We hold felony warrant. Will extradite.

NOTIFY J. A. KOPP or SHERIFF LEIGH
CEDAR CITY, UTAH.

Wanted for Murder



GIOVANNI VO

Giovanni Vottari shot and killed Joseph D'Amelia Scota in this City on the night of Sept

Wanted for Highway Robbery
Description—Brown hair, blue eyes, 5 feet 11½ inches tall, weight 155 pounds, 24 years.



Occupation—Taxi driver.

This Department holds warrant charging G Arrest, hold, and wire any information to

Usually wears gray cap and dark clothes. When last seen had several scratches on right side of face and right fore arm, caused by broken windshield in holdup on Monday night, September 15, 1924. I ask that all officers notify doctors and hospitals to be on lookout for this man.

WILL

*Surrendered to
Sacto Police 1/16/35*

Notify

Ellis Jones, Sheriff

Sacramento, Calif.

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Before coming to San Diego, Loomis lived at Long Beach, California, and also stayed for a short time at the Rosslyn Hotel, Los Angeles, California. About two weeks ago he received a letter from his mother, the postmark on the envelope showing that the letter was mailed from Berkeleyfield, California. Loomis sometimes does business with W.D. Wagg & Co., Stock Exchange Building, Los Angeles, California.

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OFFICE OF THE CHIEF OF POLICE
POLICE DEPARTMENT

Circular #2-A

Richmond, Cal. September 8, 1924.

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Inspectors Bureau

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I have been informed that sometime in 1923 either in February or September this man absconded with either \$500. or \$600. from some collection agency in Sacramento, and I thought that perhaps this man might be wanted by your department also.

I hold a warrant for this man for rape and child stealing and have traced him as far as San Francisco, and he left there on September 9th. about noon.

I am very anxious to land this party and will appreciate it if you will write me and tell me if there is any report in your files in regard to the case just mentioned, and if you are able to give me any "line" in this regard I will "work on it" and will ask your co-operation in trying to land him.

Before I hear from you soon in this regard I remain,

9/11/24



Yours very respectfully,

John H. Barrett
of Madera, Cal.

Italian, age 32, 5 ft. 6 in., 130 to 140 lbs., slender build, medium dark complexion, dark eyes and hair, had a small moustache when last seen. He has a meet whorl in his right forefinger. He was cut under right eye, and hands may be cut, caused by breaking window and jumping through same. When he left here he wore a dark green suit—no hat or cap.

*Wanted for
Murder*



GIOVANNI VOTTARI

Giovanni Vottari shot and killed Joseph D'Angelo, and seriously wounded Mrs. Amelia Scoata in this City on the night of September 21st, 1924.

This Department holds warrant charging Giovanni Vottari with murder. Arrest, hold, and wire any information to

WILLIAM C. HART,
Chief of Police,
New Britain, Conn.

ARREST THIS MAN



3288 *Had U. S. Card*
H. CARROLL McCORD, age 28 yrs., height 6 feet, weight 175 lbs., medium complexion, dark hair, brown eyes, scar over right eye, bad teeth, neat dresser. Is wanted for passing checks on numerous local oil stations, Western Union Telegraph Co., and the Western Motor Car Co. He is driving a Willis St. Clair Roadster License 962-787, Engine No. 2225. Car painted medium dark blue with quarter inch orange stripe around body. It is believed that he is in or around Los Angeles. Sheriff's office auld; warrant. 270

WANTED

L. F. MICKEY

WANTED

L. F. MICKEY

Circ 187

Fict. Check

Age, 36 to 40 years. Nearly 6 feet tall, slim build, light complexion, big nose, crippled feet, peculiar walk.

Drives Oakland Coupe, License 1-035-917.

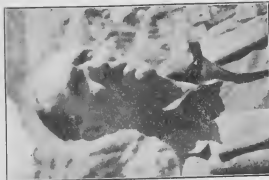
Interested in asbestos, takes contracts for covering pipes, etc

Will be found around where this kind of work is being installed.

Scatters bad checks wherever he goes.

GET THIS MAN.

*See H. Lyle, Sheriff.
San Jose, Cal.
Sept. 5, 1934*



Circular No. 188.

V. J. TAYLOR 273

Age about 22 years. Height, 5 feet, 9 inches. Weight, 140 pounds. Dark eyes and hair. Wears tortoise shell glasses. Well dressed. Shells, gambles and boozes. Sometimes poses as a wholesale paint salesman.

Circular 21

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BAD CHECKS

The Forgery Detail is anxious to apprehend one Charles Rankin, wanted for passing bad checks in the Hollywood District. It is reported that he usually selects an oil station or garage, where he buys a small amount of oil or gas and presents a forged check for \$30.00, bearing the name and address of Melbourne Spur, 6040 Hollywood Boulevard. About fifty checks have been stolen from this firm and the ones that Rankin has been issuing are numbered between 1680 and 1690. 271

Charles Rankin is described as follows: American, age 37 to 40; weight 150 lbs; height 5 ft. 9 or 10 inches; dark complexion and hair; wears and navy dark clothes.

It is now able that this man will attempt to pass other fictitious checks in and around Los Angeles, and officers are instructed to be on the alert for him, and if he is located, to arrest him immediately

WANTED FOR VIOLATION OF SECTION 32, U. S. C. C.

IMPERSONATION OF GOVERNMENT OFFICER

Cancelled

CHARLES E. HILL, alias EDWARD HILL.

Subject has passed bad checks in a number of different sections of the country upon the representation that he is a Federal Officer. On September 11th, 1924 he was indicted by the Federal Grand Jury at Boise, Idaho, charged with Impersonation of a Federal Officer. He was last heard of in Nevada. *(Caught @ Chicago 11/28/24)*

Hill is described as follows: About 45 years, could pass for 35. Height 6 ft. 1 in.; weight 180 pounds. Brown hair and eyes. Very dark complexion (sallow)

Sometimes wears dark brown mustache. When last seen was smooth faced, well built, walked erectly, neat and dignified appearance. Clever talker, wears swallow tail coat. Invertebrate pipe smoker.

A photograph of Subject is attached.



If apprehended wire the Bureau at Washington, D.C. and the Office at Portland, Oregon.

*Arrested. Order # 179
Oct. 10 1934*

Very truly yours,

J. E. Hoover,

Acting Director.

WANTED FOR FICTITIOUS CHECKS

Wanted for issuing fictitious checks, E. H. BROWN—age 38 years, 5 feet 8 inches, blue eyes, small mustache, ruddy complexion; was wearing brown suit, wears tortoise shell rim glasses, was selling stock for Pickwick Stage Co. Has pass on Pickwick Stage line. He carries his credentials and has certificate from state to sell stock. Was working out of office at Los Angeles and gave his residence at San Jose while with the Pickwick Stage Co.

On Sept. 17th he purchased a diamond ring to value of \$390.00 giving a check on the Bank of Italy of Los Angeles, in which he had no account.

I hold felony warrant.

Circular 21

WANTED FOR FICTITIOUS CHECKS

V. J. TAYLOR, alias Wm. Gordon, age 32 years, height 5 feet 6 or 7 inches, weight 140 pounds, hair brown, streaked with grey, cut short on sides, long on top, parted in center, combed back.

Wears tortoise shell rimmed glasses, Masonic ring, light colored coat, knickerbockers, fancy stockings, low shoes, light tan and dark brown leather, also has brown suit (100) pants pleated at waist back, straw hat, grey sweater (slip on V neck).

Travels in Essex Cab California License No. 1-028-043, Motor No. 72672.

Taylor gambles and boozes. His victims are generally restaurant men, garages and service stations. He has a wife, Myrtle N. Taylor, living at 739 Mason Street, San Francisco, California. Was in Santa Maria, Calif., Sept. 5, 1924.

I hold felony warrant for Taylor. If located arrest and wire me at my expense.

W. A. OYER, Sheriff Monterey County.

During the month of August this year a woman giving the name of Mrs. C. W. Dicken, usually accompanied by a male companion, said to be her husband, and two children, neither more than 10 or 12 years of age, cashed worthless checks to the amount of approximately \$250.00, in Fargo. Investigation discloses that she also operated in Minneapolis and St. Paul, Minnesota, and Billings, Montana. The most recent and best information we have at this time is that she was at Billings, Montana, August 20th, and left there on August 22nd, saying that she was going to the west coast. Judging from her past course over the country it is quite possible that this is correct, but she will perhaps stop at various prominent intermediate points enroute and vary from the most direct route. There is no doubt that this woman is playing the worthless check game for a profit and deliberately. I hold a Warrant for her arrest on the charge of Grand Larceny.

There should be little difficulty in recognizing this woman: She is a woman weighing 200 pounds and over, has a prominent goitre that is probably running into a double goitre; or the respectable rural housewife looking type of her size. Perhaps the best protection peace officers could offer their community would be to warn merchants and general business establishments and ask them to report any strange woman of similar description offering distant foreign checks for identification.

This office asks that it be notified upon the discovery of this woman and will guarantee the expense connected therewith. Thanking you for your co-operation, we are,

Yours truly,

FRED A. KRAEMER, SHERIFF,
Fargo, North Dakota.

Paul COLLINS,

WANTED CHECKS NO FUNDS

Case A-9454.

45 years, 5-10, 160, light complexion, slender build. Dressed in grey suit with red stripe, new grey felt hat, new black shoes with broad toe. These clothes were purchased with fictitious checks. Said to be driving 1916 Ford Touring, Lic. 632,344, Engine 911,962. Passing printed San Bernadino, Cal. Circular #406, Oct. 1, 1924, wanted for checks.

STOCKTON, CALIF.

#14459.

I hold felony warrant,

for the following described man: THOMAS B. GARNER, San Quentin

#34002; 30 years; 5 ft. 8 5/8 in.; 140 lbs.; brown hair; dark

brown eyes; fair complexion; native Texas; clerk and book-

keeper; has wife and 6 year old boy with him; traveling in a

1916 Old sedan, 1924 Washinton License #85032.

(John Thompson and 6/15/24 111-111)

Mrs. P.O. HREEDY,

Sept. 28

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Oct. 5, 1924

SEPTEMBER 27th 1924.

WANTED FOR PASSING FICTITIOUS CHECKS.

I hold felony warrant, charge Passing Fictitious Checks

for the following described man: THOMAS B. GARNER, San Quentin

#34002; 30 years; 5 ft. 8 5/8 in.; 140 lbs.; brown hair; dark

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CHARLES F. MOESER

Age about 32 yrs., height about 5 ft. 8 ins., weight about 150 lbs. **Light complexion, dark hair, broad shoulders, neat dresser.** 286

Last wearing blue serge suit and cap. Has been in Letterman Hospital for operation, and has long scar on stomach. Has applied for Gov. Compensation but is not at address given.

I hold felony warrant for checks.

J. D. ALLEN

Approximate description: Age 20 yrs., weight 135 lbs., height 5 ft. 10 ins., dark complexion, very dark eyes. This man is a transient laborer.

I hold felony warrant.

GUS MEYER, JR.

Wanted for bad checks. Have no description. Was living with father and some time ago moved in the vicinity of Oakland. Will very likely be using his right name.

I hold felony warrant.

R. L. HILL,
Sheriff Tulare County
Visalia, Calif.
Dated Nov. 1, 1924.

ARREST THIS MAN FOR FICTITIOUS CHECKS



3333 C. S. BAUMAN, alias C. C. Bauman, Jr., age 24 years, weight 155 lbs., height 5 ft. 10 1/2 in., hair brown, eyes blue. Los Angeles County No. 43831.

Finger-print classification: 27/12-10/IM-20/22. Warrant has been issued and bail fixed at \$1,000.00. Bring this man for information to Detective Bureau for Ryan & Jolin.

9233. Wanted for passing checks, no funds, DOROTHY HAMMELL: Age 35; weight 140; blonde hair; fair complexion. Resides at Hotel Alexander, Los Angeles, Cal.

9234. Wanted for passing fictitious checks, A. HORTON: Age 45; height 5 ft. 8 in.; weight 140. Occupation, painter. Has relatives in Sacramento, Cal.

9236. Wanted for passing fictitious checks, HENRY FRANK GRUEL: Age 34; height 5 ft. 8 in.; weight 130; light hair; blue eyes.

Cake for Bull Nov 11-1924 285

DEPARTMENT OF POLICE, SAN DIEGO, CALIF.

Sheet #2.

WANTED FICTITIOUS CHECKS

George W. Thomas,
Mrs. Ida Matthews,

Dark hair & eyes, 5'10", 170, about 35 years, smooth shaven. No description. These parties are working together and generally operate in outlying places. The checks are drawn on the Security Trust & Savings Bank of Burbank, Cal., and are tendered in payment of some small purchase and they receive the balance in cash. The man always enters the store in shirt sleeves. They are accompanied by a small girl and are driving Ford automobile.

Case A-9336.

October 6th, 1924.

WANTED CHECKS NO FUNDS

Richard W. Harvey

Light brown hair, 5'10", 140, 35 to 40 years, sallow complexion, sickly looking and very slender build. Occupation bookkeeper. Wore blue black dobbie breasted suit with white stripe, light hat or vest, tan shoes. Large dark lens tortoise shell glasses. Most always wears gray flannel shirt with collar attached or blue dress shirt with white collar. Foes as rarely. Army Captain or Major. May be the same as Richard Harvey married Los Angeles Police Bulletin, #2103, dated 1, 1923. This man was seen in El Centro, Cal., on October 1st, 1924.

Case A-960.

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Circular No. 320

Series 1924-25

November 23, 1924

WARNING! 289

WORTHLESS CHECKS! LOES \$6,150
W. O. Wright alias Milton Slattery

Giving his name as W. O. WRIGHT a check swindler stated to a Sacramento banker that he was from Cincinnati and desired to transfer his bank account to California. He talked of former connections with chain grocery stores and his automobiles. He gave a draft on the First National Bank, Cincinnati for \$18,500 and was told he could not draw against it until returns were received. The next day "Wright" dropped into the bank and succeeded in cashing a check for \$40 drawn on a San Francisco bank. The draft and the check both proved worthless.

He then went to Oakland, opening at a bank an account under the name of MILTON SLATTERY, and rented a safe deposit box. In this box he deposited several envelopes which he ostensibly marked as though they contained bonds. He gave the same "line of talk" about his former connections and wealth, and presented a large draft on Cincinnati. From Oakland he went to San Francisco and calling at the bond department of a bank arranged to buy Liberty Bonds to par value of \$6,000. When the bonds were brought in by a clerk the officer waiting on "Slattery" was busy with another customer and instructed the clerk to deliver them to Mr. Slattery if he had the money for them. "Slattery" gave the clerk his personal check on the Oakland bank, received the bonds and departed. In a few minutes the check reached the officers desk and a hurried telephone call to Oakland found the check drawn against an uncollected draft which later proved worthless.

Forty two 454 Milton Slattery
W. O. Wright

W. O. WRIGHT alias MILTON SLATTERY is described as 40 years, 5 ft. 2 in., 160 lbs., stocky build, brown eyes, straight nose, sandy brown hair, ruddy complexion, wears brown suit, brown fedora hat pulled down in front, brown oxford shoes, gray belted overcoat, sapphire round gold cuff links, gold watch chain worn diagonally across vest, old fashioned double case watch, small patch of gray hair at back of head, American, talked with southern accent.

TO PEACE OFFICERS: Both the Sacramento and San Francisco banks are anxious to prosecute this man. We do not know his true identity and any assistance in "making him" will be appreciated.

Issued by Order of Protective Committee,
CALIFORNIA BANKERS ASSOCIATION
F. H. Colburn, Secretary.

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Save Thousands on 6151.84 M. Slattery

August 16th, 1922. This man is in custody, held on October 1st, 1924.

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Circular No. 317

San Francisco, November 6, 1924

Series 1924-25

(THIS CIRCULAR SHOULD BE INSERTED IN C. B. A. BINDER FOR REFERENCE)

Arrest This Man—\$50 Reward



WM. L. RYAN, alias M. P. LAYTON, O. V. SNELL, JAMES HURD, J. M. MATHY, CHARLES H. CRESSMAN, C. V. ZINKER, Etc.

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Description:
45 years
5 feet 8 inches

170 pounds
Medium build
Dark chestnut hair, greying

Medium blue eyes
Salesman
American, good appearance

Finger Print Classification (Joliet) { 31 11
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To Member Banks:

The above photographs, taken in 1918, have been positively identified as "The Forged Certified Check Swindler" whose activities have been reported to you at various times. This circular and our Circular No. 315 of September 26, 1924, headed "Banks of California Have Been Swindled Out of \$30,000 By a Shrewd Sharper Who Has Never Taken Less Than \$2,500 From Any One Bank" should be brought to the attention of every officer of your bank.

The information as to this crook's method of operation and his photograph should now make it easy to protect your bank from this swindler and to effect his arrest should he appear at your bank.

To Peace Officers:

WILLIAM L. RYAN, whose photograph is shown above, is badly wanted by the police at Long Beach and Los Angeles where felony warrants are held under the above aliases. Ryan is an ex-convict from the Illinois State Penitentiary and has the following record: Kansas City No. 8575, Joliet 5976.

We request that this circular be brought to the attention of your detectives and if Ryan is located arrest him and telegraph Chief of Police either at Los Angeles or Long Beach, California. He will be extradited from anywhere. (See Bulletin No. 613, August 14 and October 23, 1924, of Long Beach Police Department.) Ryan is reported to make his headquarters in the Middle West but may be found anywhere.

In addition to its standing reward of \$25 offered for arrest and conviction of any forger defrauding a member bank, the California Bankers Association will pay a special reward of \$25 for arrest of Ryan.

Issued by order of

PROTECTIVE COMMITTEE, CALIFORNIA BANKERS ASSOCIATION

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Clever Check Operator.

alias Ralph W. Tobias.



H. ELMORE JOHNSON, alias Ralph W. Topkins,
American
age: 45 yrs.; hgt.: 5ft9"
wt.: 180 Lbs.; build stout;
hair lt. brown streaked with gray
eyes dark blue
smooth shaven
wears glasses
occupation: Salesman
Has a square jaw, very piercing eyes, is
a good talker, neat dresser and wears a Shriners Pin.

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Photo herewith.

Modis Operandi:-

Johnson has been a resident of this city for two years and during that time he established a good reputation and Bank Credit. While here sold Tractors, representing the Holt and Best Firms. Had a good checking account in a local Bank. On Nov. 13th he opened an account with the Bank of Italy in San Francisco and made a cash deposit of two hundred and fifty dollars. On November 20th this bank paid a check for two hundred and forty dollars made payable to Johnson. This account was carried under the name of Ralph W. Tobias. On Nov. 19th, he deposited a check for \$11,865.00 to his account in a local bank. This check was written on the Bank of Italy, San Francisco, Calif., signed Ralph W. Tobias. On the next day, he re-appeared at the bank here and purchased on the strength of the \$11,865.00, which had as yet not been paid by the San Francisco Bank, a cashiers check for \$8,650.00 written on the Continental National Bank, Los Angeles, Calif., made payable to Johnson Machine Shop. This check he managed to get endorsed by one E. J. Crook, a Los Angeles Contractor, whom he knew and whom he owed about \$1,800.00. The Continental National Bank of Los Angeles upon seeing the endorsement of Crook on the cashiers check, did not hesitate to cash the check when presented by Johnson alias Tobias, yesterday Nov. 20th, as Crook is a reliable business man. Late yesterday the local bank was informed by the Bank of Italy of San Francisco, that they would not pay the \$11,865.00 check, as Tobias had only ten dollars in their bank. This left the local bank holding the sack for about \$7,000.00.

I hold a felony warrant for Johnson alias Topkins alias Tobias and request your co-operation in locating and arresting this man. Wire information to me at my expense.

By: Zabel.
Eu. of Ident.

Sam Jernigan. 11/21/24
Sheriff.

Santa Ana

California Bankers Association

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Circular No. 319

Series 1944-26

November 29, 1924

WARNING!

WORTHLESS STOCK AND BOND COUPONS!

There is a crook now in California who is operating with worthless coupons of defunct corporations, and member banks are cautioned not to cash stock or bond coupons for strangers unless positive that such coupons are genuine, of responsible operating companies and in the hands of rightful owners.

November 8 a man giving the name of "Alonzo H. Boyer" arrived in Sacramento and purchased a San Francisco draft for \$500 presenting a \$500 bill. He asked that the San Francisco bank be notified so that he would have no difficulty in cashing the draft. His signature was taken and forwarded to San Francisco.

On arrival in San Francisco "Boyer" opened an account at the bank on which the draft was drawn with the draft. He made two withdrawals of \$100 each and then presented coupons, 10 at \$25 each, of the Chicago & Southside Rapid Transit Railroad Company. These the bank cashed. This company is now defunct. After cashing the coupons "Boyer" closed his account.

From method of operation and description we believe "Boyer" to be the same operator as described on page 3, 1924, Protective Section of the American Bankers Association Journal, column 1, article headed "Defunct Railway Bonds Cashed."

ALONZO H. BOYER is described as 30 years, 5 feet 9 inches, 180 pounds, stout build, brown hair, thick aquiline nose.

To Peace Officers: We request your cooperation to establish the identity of this crook.

One Hundred Two

100%

Alonzo H. Boyer

Issued by Order of Protective Committee,
CALIFORNIA BANKERS ASSOCIATION
F. H. COLEBURN, Secretary.

Three Hundred Two

300%

Arrest, I hold Felony Warrants for the following described parties:-

CLARENCE J. WHITNEY, alias JULIUS BURNHAM, TOM EDWARDS.

#38 years of age.

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#38 years of age, 293
5 feet 8 inches,
About 135 pounds,
Brown hair, greying, (Forgery)
Blue eyes,
Light complexion, smooth shaven.

Passed forged check on grocery store in Reedley, California, paid by local bank; bank is out cash.

GEORGE SPEAR, alias LYOYD FREEMAN, RUSSELL P. YOUNG, THOMAS C. HALL.

22 years of age, (also reported as 27 to 28 years of age)
5 feet 8 or 9 inches, 294
140 to 150 pounds,
Dark hair,
Brown eyes, (No Account Checks.)
Light complexion, smooth shaven,
Two front teeth missing.

This fellow operated here, passing several checks, for amounts of \$15.00, \$17.60 and \$18.00, checks all drawn on a local bank, returned "No Account."

Paper hanger operated on Saturday night, early in the evening, in each instance making small purchase at grocery store and getting difference in cash.

Is reported to have used a Ford coupe, but no one had the hunch to obtain number of license.

In most instances he used a small "x" in carrying out fractional amount of dollar; for instance, "Seventeen and xx".

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Fridley & Blunt,
Check detail.

Respectfully,

Fred. B. Kutz, Supt.,
Bureau of Records.

J. S. Yancy,
Chief of Police,
Long Beach, California.

BUREAU OF IDENTIFICATION.
Sheriff's Office.
Santa Ana, Calif.

Cir.B-285

WANTED on a felony warrant charging Fict. Checks:

J. D. HORNSBY, American
age: 32 yrs., hgt. 5ft8-9", wgt.: 135 lbs.,

build slender, hair dark, eyes gray, smooth shaven, wearing dark coat, khaki pants and leather leggings. Drives an old Dort touring car. This bird picks on Hardware Stores, buys tools, building material and orders it delivered at a fict. address. Makes his checks usually for \$ 22.75. Arrest this man and notify me.

Three Hundred 70

300.00

F. H. COLBURN, Secretary.

November 14, 1924.

WANTED FOR PASSING A FICTITIOUS CHECK, P.C. 476a.

V. J. TAYLOR.

The following described man is wanted for passing a fictitious check on Wideman's Clothing Store, of Palo Alto, on the 8th. of November, 1924:

AGE: 25 yrs. 295
 HEIGHT: 5-8
 WEIGHT: 140
 HAIR: Brown
 EYES: Brown
 BRAND: None.
 COMPLEXION: Fair

OCCUPATION: Roof engineer.
 NATIVITY: American.
 FACE: Thin--hatchet-face.
 DRESS: Brown suit and brown hat. Suit had lighter brown stripes, 1/8 in.. He wore a Knight Templar ring, inside of which was engraved name of his father, VERUS WILLS TAYLOR.

He gave 780 Mason Street, San Francisco, as his address and represented himself as a paint salesman, selling for L. SONHEIM and Sons, Inc. N. Y., Los Angeles office being 326 East Market Street. He is thought to be driving an Essex Coupe License No. 1-170-926.

MODUS OF RAINDI:

He came into Wideman's store and stated that he was on his way to his sister's wedding at San Jose and that his sister was getting married at that time. He stated all his dress clothes. He purchased a Tuxedo suit and accessories, the amount of which was \$64.70, for which he gave the fictitious check.

If located, please place in custody and wire me collect. We hold felony warrant.

H. A. ZINN
 Chief of Police.

Sheriff's Office

WABOO, SAUNDERS COUNTY, NEBRASKA

November 22 1924.

Chief of Police,

Sacramento Cal.

Dear Sir:- I am holding warrant for one Leo Kierman for forgery, Age 30 yrs, Height 5 ft 7 in, Weight 130 #, one eye is crossed, think it is the left eye, is very noticeable, points upward, is a cook by trade.

When he left here he was wearing a light cap or hat and light brown cravenett, is always drunk or partly so, looks for a job at labor agencies.

If found arrest, hold and notify me at my expense.

Yours Truly,

Jerry Sailey
 Sheriff

Arrest For Passing Fictitious Checks

H. E. SHAW, 26 yrs. old, weight 175 lbs., height 6 foot, Hair dark brown, Eyes brown, occupation truck driver, large black birth mark left buttock. Will probable be dressed in new suit, overcoat, hat, shoes, shirt and underwear. Associates with cowboys and cattle men, or may work as a truck driver. Record as H. E. SHAW, San Quentin No. 36122.

Finger Prints Classification 32 MO
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Put out checks in this city in the amount of about \$400 on several merchants with whom he had become acquainted.

Arrest, hold and wire. W. L. Walker, Chief of Police, Stockton, Cal. holds warrant for Shaw.

Circular No. 759.

Stockton, Calif.

Oct. 21st, 1924

WM. H. RIECKS, Sheriff,



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Wanted for Forgery

L. PECCINI, alias John Peccini, alias Joe Peccini, age about forty, 5 ft. 10 or 11 inches, weight 180, Italian birth, round shouldered hair black, curly, eyes brown. Has appearance of laborer, and generally works Italian clothing stores. Pretends to be acquainted with his victim. Is using stolen checks printed for Earl Fruit Company on Bank of Alex Brown, Walnut Grove.

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Photo of Check.



Nov 3. 24

R. R. VEALE, Sheriff, Contra Costa County,
Martinez, California.
Telephone Martinez 81.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE
County of San Diego, California.

Circular #30.

San Diego, Calif.,
November 3, 1924.

WANTED FOR CHECKS NO FUNDS.

HARRY R. JUSTICE. 302

Description as follows: American, 32 to 35 years old, 5 feet 8 or 9 inches, 140 pounds, brown hair, brown eyes, ruddy complexion. This man is an auto mechanic and will be found working around some garage.

WANTED FOR CHECKS NO FUNDS.

C. O. STARK. 303

Description as follows: American, 48 years old, 6 feet, 220 pounds; light hair, nearly bald, light eyes, florid complexion.

WANTED FOR OBTAINING MONEY UNDER FALSE PRETENSES.

FRED FOX. 304

Description as follows: 45 to 50 years, 5 feet 8 or 9 inches 200 pounds, gray hair, ruddy complexion.

Wanted at
Oakland
Nov 10-24

WANTED ON A FELONY WARRANT, CHARGING FICTITIOUS CHECKS : 305
TOMMY ADAMS. Age 26 years; height, abt 5'10"; weight, 163 lbs; brown hair and medium complexion. A truck driver by occupation and is supposed to be working in the vicinity of Bishop, Inyo County, California. We hold warrant as stated. Arrest and wire.

WANTED FOR FORGERY

Chico, California, November 18, 1924.

JERRY HUSA, 5 feet 10 inches tall; dark complexioned; black hair, combed straight back; age about 28 years; long nose; grey eyes. Wore gray cap; black trousers or overalls and dark coat. Has slouchy walk and of unkempt appearance. Drives Olympia sport model car with light top; License No. A-2571, or Chevrolet; License No. 280-052. Is in company with a woman by the name of IRENE CAMP.

Arrest, hold and wire, collect, as I hold felony warrant.

J. A. LIGHT,

Constable Chico Township, Chico, Calif.

Wanted for Fictitious Checks.

Circular No. 188—Second Issue.

V. J. TAYLOR—Age 30 to 35 years; height 5 ft. 9 or 10 in.; weight 140 lbs.; dark eyes and hair. Wears tortoise shell glasses; swell dresser; claims to be paint salesman. Drives Essex cab, license No. 1,170,926; these plates are probably stolen, as the number assigned to this car in Sacramento was 1,028,043. This man is badly wanted throughout the State. Arrest and wire; I hold felony warrant.

GEORGE W. LYLE, Sheriff.
San Jose, Calif.

CITY & COUNTY BUREAU OF IDENTIFICATION,

Bakersfield, Calif., India.

4th, November, 1934. See *For* page 34, 1936

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WANTED ON A FELONY WARRANT - FICTITIOUS CHECKS :

DAN A. DAUGHERTY, an ex-promoter, Age, 35 years; height, 5'10"; weight, abt 145 lbs; dark complexion, wears a Charlie Chaplin moustache, and has a habit of wearing a tie on the back of his head. This man operated in this district for a time put over several bad checks and then left. Gave as a forwarding address, Hayward Hotel, Los Angeles Cal. Lived for a short time at Venice, Calif., and is reported as leaving there for Oklahoma City, Okla., and said he would stop at either The Lee Hickins Hotel, or the Kim Kaid Hotel, that city. Is said to be well known at Tulsa, Okla., at least well known among citizens. We hold felony warrant as stated. Be on the lookout for this man, address, and wire at our expense.



OFFICE OF THE CHIEF OF POLICE
POLICE DEPARTMENT

Dan For Chief Police

CIRCULAR #3-A

WANTED

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FORGERY

WANTED

RUSSELL LAWSON Richmond #1211 finger print classification 29/19 0/0 20/18 has been positively identified as the party forging check and passing it under name of JESSIE LAWSON. Photograph of Lawson's record and the check passed are enclosed herewith.

Lawson has all the qualifications of a BUI will resort to any small crime rather than work. When last seen was posing as recruiting officer for the National Guards to which he belonged. Will have in his effects a Sergeant's uniform. Is an ex-soldier has a blue discharge "FAIR" "Not recommended for re-enlistment"

We hold Felony Warrant charging Forgery want this fellow badly, if located arrest, hold, wire me my expense will send officer for his return here for trial.

Party using the name of A.B. CADMAN passing checks signed P.J. Solyear in amount of \$10, described as follows:

WANTED FOR PASSING FICTITIOUS CHECKS.

#14732. I hold felony warrant, charge Passing Fictitious Checks, for the following described man: a *John A. Wynn*; 27 or 28 years; 5 ft. 11 in.; light complexion; neatly dressed in dark suit of clothes.

306

CASUALTIES.

#12006. *OSWELDT* touring car, 1933 California License #921-593.

Chief of Police.

Circular #104.

POLICE DEPT. RICHMOND BENCH CALIF.
BUREAU OF IDENTIFICATION,
***** Check Katers *****

H. Lock, Japanese, passing checks from \$10.00 to \$65.00 on the Redondo Savings Bank, works on jewelry stores, will give for a few days and then draw balance from the bank on float larger checks and leave town.

J.R. Harris, alias Robert Harris Jr., P.O. Harris passing checks on First National Bank of Redondo and Redondo Savings Bank. National Bank of Phoenix Ariz made out to himself and signed by *W. J. Harris*. Usually plays crochets barber shops for \$5.00 & \$10.00 checks.

J.S. Johnson alias J.S. Short passing checks on Commercial National Bank of Los Angeles from \$5.00 to \$40.00 worth on Drug Stores and Hotels.

Is any of the above are apprehended please notify the Chief of Police or any information will be appreciated.

S. J. Hancock
Supt Bur Ident.

Chief of Police.

BUREAU OF IDENTIFICATION
Police Dept. Pasadena, Cal.

for his return here for trial.

Party using the name of A.B.CADMAN passing checks signed F.J. Jolyear in amount of \$10, described as follows:

3/2

Age: 18
Height: 6-0
Weight: 155-160
Hair: Black
Eyes: Dark
Complex: Fair
Clothing: Lt cap, dark suit
Mks: Scar on forehead

Party using name of NEIL LONGBRAKE (T.N.) alias RAY WILLS passing checks passing checks in amount of \$42.00 and \$27.00 signed M.J. Jolyear, Kosliers Bros., and Carl Owens, described as follows:

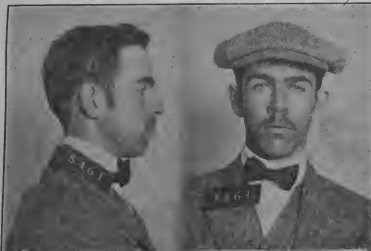
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Age: 30
Height: 5-10
Weight: 160-165
Hair: Brown
Eyes: Brown
Complex: Dark from sun exposure
Clothing: Soft hat, working clothes

Information on any of the above described parties will be

CIRCULAR NO. 26

WANTED FOR FICTITIOUS CHECKS



Edward J. Lenehan, age about 30 years, height 5 feet 8 inches, weight 145 pounds, thin face, some pimples, dark hair, nearly black, heavy eyebrows, meeting in center, diagonal mark between the eyes, slightly to the right, looks like powder burn, scar on chin, looks as if the chin had been nearly torn off from the bottom upward, and replaced, leaving a circular scar, heavier on left side, about 2 inches in diameter.

Wore brown fedora hat, blue serge suit, having tan kerchief showing out of breast pocket, fine check shirt, blue tie, tan shoes. Lenehan registered at Monterey Hotel, Sept. 28th, Sunday, Monday, Sept. 29th. Called at the office of the Monterey Investment Co. to be shown a ranch, which he bought, paying \$1000 deposit by giving a check on the Continental Bank, of Salt Lake City, in which he had no account. Later in the day he cashed

a \$35.00 check on the Investment Co., receiving cash. He received a contract sale on the ranch and may be using the contract to put over other deals.

Sent wire to Monterey from San Francisco, giving his address as St. Francis Hotel. Same as Portland No. 5461, Edward J. Lenehan alias Edward Joseph Hugh McCluster, finger print classification 25-23 1-00 20. Arrested 10-15-22 by Portland Police Department, charged Dyer Act and Impersonating Government Officer. (Stole an automobile in Portland and drove it to Montana. Also represented himself as a Federal Officer). On 11-22-22 sentenced to 18 months at Leavenworth Federal Penitentiary.

I hold warrant for Lenehan, if located arrest and wire me at my expense. (Second issue, Cir. 23).

W. A. OYER, Sheriff, Salinas, Monterey County, Calif.

BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
Office: Portland, Oregon, Cal.

Circular #203

CHECKS

November 7, 1921.

Party using the name of TONY LENLER is passing checks in the amount of \$10 to \$15 picking out Service Stations. Appears to be an Italian, Assyrian, talks quite broken English. Described as follows:

3/5

Age: 28 to 30
Height: 5-9 or 10
Weight: 150-155
Hair: Sandy
Eyes: Grey
Complex: Ruddy
Clothing: Dark suit, light colored cap

Party using the name of JOHN H. MARTIN giving checks in the amount of \$10 to \$15 ordering business cards making a small deposit on the same getting the remainder of the check in cash. Described as follows:

3/6

Age: 28
Height: 5-6 1/2 or 7
Weight: 165
Hair: Dark
Complex: Ruddy
Clothing: Khaki coat, leather puttees

Party using the name of ALLEN ALEXANDER passing small checks on gasoline stations, described as follows:

3/7

Age: 35
Height: 5-11
Weight: 135
Hair: Light brown
Eyes: Blue
Complex: Fresh
Clothing: Fedora hat, blue or grey suit
Has a carbunkle on each foot

*likely S.O. #2233
Rec'd 5/19/26*

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Party using the name of ROLAND D. ARMETAGE passing checks signed James B. Madison passing checks in the amount of \$4.00, traveling with a partner. Appeared to be Spanish or Portuguese. The description of this bunch is as follows:

1.	2.	3.
Age: 24 to 25	Age: 22	Age: 22
Height: 5-9 or 10	Height: 5-8	Height: 5-6
Weight: 137	Weight: 150	Weight: 123
Hair: Lt brown	Hair: Black	Hair: Lt brown
Eyes: Hazel	Eyes: Black	Eyes: Lt brown
Complex: Ruddy	Cloth: Lt cap, slip on & white mixed	Complex: Ruddy
Cloth: Lt cap, slip on sweater, tan sleeves		Cloth: Lt cap, brown suit

Note: From Roman

Wanted
OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA
4/24 192 No. 174
Richmond, Cal.
Copy 11-2-24
By Jennings
THE AMERICAN BANK
COMMERCIAL SAVINGS
PAY TO THE ORDER OF H. P. Jamison \$ 31.25
Thirty one & 25/100
DOLLARS
D. Ralph Moore

HEAD OFFICE
SAN FRANCISCO
90-961 SACRAMENTO BRANCH 90-961
Richmond, Cal.
Copy 11-2-24
By Jennings
Bank of Italy
SACRAMENTO, CAL.
PAY TO THE ORDER OF \$ 13.25
DOLLARS

Wanted for obtaining money by issuing false and fraudulent Bank Checks.



GEORGE C. WALLACE

Age 30 years; height 5 ft. 2 1/2 in.; weight 123 lbs; fair black; eyes light brown; complexion dark; occupation gambler; nativity, Greek.

Finger Print Class: 17 - 0 - 15
19 - m - 12

Same as San Bernardino County No. 4011. Kern County No. 1067 F. Reno, Nevada, 26597.

I hold felony warrant of arrest.

Wire any information my expense.

ELMER H. GUM, Sheriff,
Placer County, California

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF OF POLICE
POLICE DEPARTMENT

Circular #4-A

Richmond, Cal. November 5, 1934.

321 Apprehended - noticed. 12/3/24

WANTED

CHECK ARTIST

WANTED

H. P. JAMISON, 36; 5-7; 135 lbs; Medium Dark Complexion; Slim face, wore dark suit and hat. His plan is to call at a store make small purchase pay cash and a day or so later return, make another purchase and present a check which he claims is for wages. Passed three checks here using different names on each check. Exemplar of check passed on Tire Shop enclosed.

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ROBERT EVANS, 30; 5-9; 170 lbs; Brown eyes; round full face, neat in appearance and good looking, wore gray suit and cap, smooth talker. Passed check on Variety store exemplar enclosed, also passed one on Dry Goods store for sum \$10.00 and one on butcher shop for sum of \$20.00

We hold Felony Warrant charging Fictitious Check for each of above named men. If located arrest hold, wire me my expense, will send officer for their return here.

Dan Cox

Chief of Police.

Auburn, California, Feb. 4th, 1925

OFFICE OF

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Wanted

Drive
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Car

Auburn, California, Feb. 4th, 1925

OFFICE OF
SHERIFF OF PLACER COUNTY
CALIFORNIA

Wanted for Uttering and Passing Bad
Check Without Funds.

L. ZUKER, Jew, age 40 to 45 years. Height 5 feet 7 or eight inches. Weight 170 lbs. Heavy set, and smooth shaven. Medium light complexion. Zuker, a junk and wool buyer, travels over country districts in Ford Truck, 1924, California State Licence Com. 69487, Motor number 5637726.

Zuker resided in Los Angeles and during the spring of 1924 he came north and worked out of Oakland and Sacramento. On October 30th, 1924, he purchased wool in this county, making payment of \$277.00 with a check upon the Capital National Bank of Sacramento, in which bank he had no funds. Zuker left and has not been seen since.

Kindly investigate by making inquiry of your local junk dealers. If located, arrest, hold and wire me at my expense. Hold felony warrant of arrest.

ELMER H. GUM,
Sheriff of Placer County, Cal.

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Circular #6-1

Richmond, Cal. November 12, 1924.

An. Los A. sent to Tolson.

RECEIVED

CHECK ARTIST

WANTED

RICHARD H. PHILLIPS, 25; 5-10; 160; Comp. Fair; Eyes Blue; Hair Sandy; Sharp Features; 10/11/25 Wore dark Gray suit and soft hat. Passed check on local furniture store for \$52.75 purchased six dining room chairs for \$44.55, receiving balance in cash. Ordered chairs sent to fictitious address. Exemplar of check enclosed. We hold Felony Warrant charging Fictitious Check. If located hold, wire me my expense, will send officer for his return.

Dan Cox

Chief of Police

BUREAU OF IDENTIFICATION.
Sheriff's Office.
Santa Ana, Calif.

Cir.No. B-286.

Nov. 10, 1924.

WANTED

on a felony warrant charging Fict, Checks:

WILLIAM KELLEY
American
age: 33 yrs.; hgt.: 5ft9";
wt.: 140 Lbs.; build medium
hair brown; eyes blue;
light compl.; occ: painter

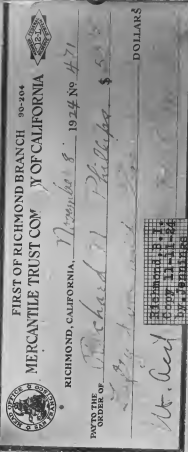
Drives a Chevrolet touring car Lic. # 997-389. Passed a \$ 55.00 check and several small checks in this county. Picks on rooming houses.

Wanted on felony warrant charging "Checks":

MARY J. GIBSON.
American
age: 40 to 45 yrs.; hgt.: 5ft2"
wt.: 112 to 115 lbs.; build slender
hair brown; eyes blue-gray;
pointed nose; wears glasses;
looks sickly

Picks on Ladies Ready to Wear Shops, buys coats and pays for same with bum checks.

WANTED ON A FELONY WARRANT. CHECKS TO DEFRAUD:
GEORGE A. WHITE, Age 33 years; height, 5'11"; weight abt. 150 lbs.; hair dark but thin; fair complexion; teeth very poor condition. Is reported as driving a Jewett Touring auto, 1923 model. Motor No. 24687, 1925 license No. 1137750. Arrest and wire this Department at our expense.



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Backfield
11/28/24

DETECTIVE BUREAU

OFFICE OF
PROSECUTOR OF THE PLEAS
SOMERSET COUNTY
NEW JERSEYAZARIAH M. BEEKMAN
PROSECUTORGEORGE D. TOTTON
CHIEF OF COUNTY
DETECTIVES

\$500 REWARD

Wanted for Forgery and Embezzlement



FREDERICK A. McCULLOUGH

DESCRIPTION: Age, about 36 years; height, about 5 feet, 11 inches; weight, about 170 pounds; dark hair mixed with gray, also gray spot of hair about 2½ inches in diameter top of head near crown; clean shaven, but may grow mustache; medium build.

He is addicted to the cigarette habit and is fond of convivial company. Has a pleasant and engaging personality.

He would be apt to be attracted by ventures in the nature of real estate promotions and things of a speculative character or any other enterprise in which money could be made easily or quickly.

He has some knowledge of golf and is more or less a devotee to the game; can play some airs upon the piano and in conversation would, perhaps, display some knowledge gained by travel.

Frederick A. McCullough, whose photograph, description, and specimen of handwriting appear above, was until recently a practicing Attorney-at-Law at Somerville, New Jersey. He was a member of the New Jersey Assembly in 1922 and 1923. He is charged with having **Embezzled** various large sums of money belonging to his clients and with having **Forged** the name of the County Clerk of Somerset County, and others, to different legal documents.

Police and other authorities are requested to keep a careful watch for this man, as he is wanted to answer to a number of Indictments for **Forgery and Embezzlement**.

He may be employed by some Real Estate promoter or engaged in the business of Real Estate and Insurance on his own account.

If LOCATED, arrest, hold and wire, at our expense, all information to

GEORGE D. TOTTON, SOMERVILLE, NEW JERSEY,
Chief of County Detectives.

CHECKS WITHOUT FUNDS.

M. V. BORGER.

Described as follows: Portuguese; age, 38 years, 5'8" 190 pounds, black hair, brown eyes, dark complexion. This man is a dairymen (milkor). Was driving an old Overland Roadster; has a dog, port Airóale and Collie.

CHECK WITHOUT FUNDS

J. D. LANKFORD.

Described as follows: American; age, 33 years, 5' 5", 140 pounds, brown hair, blue eyes, fair complexion. Was driving a 1920 Model Westcott Touring car, 1925 license C96-290. Car is a sandy color.

Arrest, hold, notify me and I will send for them.

JAMES C. BYERS, Sheriff.

Issuing Fictitious Checks
OLSEN W. JASATF

Arrest, I hold Felony Warrants for the following named and described parties:

CHARLES KELLY, sometimes writes name CHARLES CLYDE KELLY, alias ED. YOUNG, 27 years of age, 5 feet 11½ inches. notice 5/6/85

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Somerset County for the arrest,
ties of Somerset County, New

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3/24/25

San Diego

Arrest, I hold Felony Warrants for the following named and described parties:

CLYDE BELL, sometimes writes name CHARLES CLYDE BELL, alias ED. YOUNG,
27 years of age,
5 feet 11½ inches,
156 pounds,
Brown hair, *Arrested per notice 5/6/25.*
Hazel eyes,
Fair complexion, smooth shaven,
Cook by occupation,
Large brown spot below left eye, vaccination upper left arm. *333*

Same as San Quentin #34135, 1 to 14 years from San Bernardino County, Fictitious Checks, rec'd 10/30/20, paroled 5/1/22.
Was given 3 years' probation in Los Angeles in 1920, Fictitious Checks.
Served 9 months in Ione in 1918.

BELL passed several checks on local merchants, which are forgeries of his father's name. Our information is that the bank at Bellflower, California, where Bell formerly resided, has turned back numerous checks from different localities that were passed by Bell, all of them bogus.

From information obtained, we are certain that Bell went to Arizona and he was, or is, playing professional baseball in that state under the name of ED. YOUNG.

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JANET BUELL, alias JANET McEDWARDS, KATHERINE PENSINGER,

19 years of age,
About 5 feet 4½ inches,
About 118 pounds,
Curly, black, bobbed hair,

(Photograph inclosed)



Brown eyes,
Complexion rather dark,
Wears short dresses, flapper type, good looking baby doll.
In passing her paper, she gave victim to understand that she was separated from her husband, who is a sailor on the U. S. S. California, and that she wanted cash on checks with which to commence divorce proceedings. Her mother, Mrs. Pensinger, resides at Santa Barbara. *334*

PEN WARREN, 25 years of age, 5 feet 8 inches, 155 pounds, dark complexion, dark hair, brown eyes, smooth shaven. WARREN passed forged checks on a service station, this city. *Arrested per notice 5/6/25* *335*

Please advise me of any information on above described parties.

(Blunt & Fridley)

Long Beach Respectfully, *3/12.25*

F. B. Kutz, Supt.,
Bureau of Records.

J. S. Yancy,
Chief of Police,
Long Beach, California.

Issuing Fictitious Checks

OLSEN W. LASATER, an Amer- *339*

ican, age 26 years,
height 6 feet and
one-eighth inch,
weight 170 pounds
smooth shaven, fair
complexion, dark
brown hair, gray
eyes; finger print
classification:

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T, 9 over 15.



This fellow on parole from San Quentin, San Quentin No. 36366. Suspect this fellow of stealing a 1924 Big 6, seven-passenger Studebaker touring car, engine number 38475, carrying 1924 California State License 299-894.

I hold Felony Warrant. Arrest and Notify

O. W. B.
Supt. B. of I.

Arrested 3/16/25

W. A. SHAY, Sheriff.

DETECTIVE BUREAU
OFFICE OF
PROSECUTOR OF THE PLEAS
SOMERSET COUNTY
NEW JERSEY

AZARIAH M. BEEKMAN
PROSECUTOR

GEORGE D. TOTTEN
CHIEF OF COUNTY
DETECTIVES

\$500 REWARD

Wanted for Forgery and Embezzlement



FREDERICK A. McCULLOUGH 329

DESCRIPTION: Age, about 36 years; height, about 5 feet, 11 inches; weight, about 170 pounds; dark hair mixed with gray, also gray spot of hair about 2½ inches in diameter top of head near crown; clean shaven, but may grow mustache; medium build.

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He would be apt to be attracted by ventures in the nature of real estate promotions and things of a speculative character or any other enterprise in which money could be made easily or quickly.

He has some knowledge of golf and is more or less a devotee to the game; can play some airs upon the piano and in conversation would, perhaps, display some knowledge gained by travel.

Frederick A. McCullough
Frederick A. McCullough, whose photograph, description, and specimen of handwriting appear above, was until recently a practicing Attorney-at-Law at Somerville, New Jersey. He was a member of the New Jersey Assembly in 1922 and 1923. He is charged with having **Embezzled** various large sums of money belonging to his clients and with having **Forged** the name of the County Clerk of Somerset County, and others, to different legal documents.

Police and other authorities are requested to keep a careful watch for this man, as he is wanted to answer to a number of Indictments for **Forgery** and **Embezzlement**.

He may be employed by some Real Estate promoter or engaged in the business of Real Estate and Insurance on his own account.

If **LOCATED**, arrest, hold and wire, at our expense, all information to

GEORGE D. TOTTEN, SOMERVILLE, NEW JERSEY,
Chief of County Detectives.

The above reward was authorized by resolution of the Board of Freeholders of Somerset County for the arrest, detention and delivery of the said Frederick A. McCullough to the criminal authorities of Somerset County, New Jersey.

February, 1925.

Issuing Fictitious Checks
OLSEN W. LASATER, an Amer-

arrest, 1 held Felony Warrants for the following named and described parties:

CLAYDE BELL, sometimes writes name **CHARLES CLAYDE BELL**, alias **ED. YOUNG**,
 27 years of age,
 5 feet 11½ inches,
 156 pounds, *arrested per notice 5/6/25.*

Arrest, hold, notify me and I will send for them.

JAMES C. BYERS, Sheriff.

3/24 25 *Sandiego*

Alias Mrs. Thomas E. Goddard
Alias Veda Davis—20 years;
5 feet 5 inches; 115 pounds;
Spanish type; very dark complexion

Also Mary Lavata; 19 years; 5 feet 4 inches; 120 pounds; very dark; complexion; Spanish type. 33

The persons are clever check swindlers, who have successfully operated in this city. Goddard obtains employment with large corporation. At first opportunity steals blank checks, then uses protectograph and forges names of company officials. The women then endorse check and cash same through merchants.

I will extradite from any state.

Arrest, hold and wire me collect.

Salt Lake City, Utah, March 3, 1925.

THOMAS E. GODDARD

Alias Bruce Richards—29 years; 150 pounds; medium complexion; very erect; left leg amputated; has cork leg; wears glasses; is a Stenographer.

WANTED FOR CHECKS NO FUNDS-----MAJOR ARTHUR THOMPSON
alias
ARTHUR COOK
Age about 36

Age about 36
Height 5'11
Med. dark complexion
Round face
Smooth shaven

Thompson alias Cook represents him self to be a Major in the Army, will stop at the best hotels and will try to pay with a eastern check.

Will probably be driving a Chevrolet coupe
Lic # 531-740, Eng # 1496012, painted blue (dusk)

Wire all information collect

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Long Beach
3/25-25

Respectfully,
J. S. Yancy,
Chief of Police,
Long Beach, California.

and likewise

case he had some printing done and gave bad checks for \$20.00 for the small balance in each. The printing consisted of letter heads, H. M. Schader, Doctor's prescription pads. The name he had printed on the letter heads and fictitious telephone he city "Long Beach" appears on the letter heads and envelopes, but not on prescription blanks. There is a doctor here by name of Dr. who has offices in the Pacific Southwest Trust & Savings Bank Bldg., 2000 Main Street, Long Beach, California.

ack know Hagon, alias Schader.

allow will try to pass as this doctor to pass forged checks in your bank out for him. Warn banks, hotels and merchants.

are described partly passed several checks on local lumber companies, returned by the bank on which they were drawn, marked "No funds." The small order of rough lumber, claiming he is building a house for his father, passed the rough lumber for forms. Later he stated that he would receive a large bill. He pays for the first order with a check for \$100, receives the balance in cash. The lumber is delivered to an empty lumberman finds other lumber from different lumber firms which have a like appearance.

lon, smooth shaven.

Arrest, I hold Felony Warrant for the following described party:

P. M. HARRIS, alias R. H. SHAWVER, DR. H. M. SHAWVER (latter name being a forgery
25 years of age,
feet 6 inches,

JOSEPH E. BURBIDGE.

Chief of Police

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On March 14, 1936, each of the 14 cities, each payable to Elmer H. House since printer, I blank check to \$30, and out these

VALIDITY FOR

Occupation	Wanted for	Remarks

Name	W
Alias	R
Height	
Age	30
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Nationality	

Name William Brown

Alias Ray Thomas

Height 6 ft.

Weight 180 or 190

Age 30

Complexion light

Eyes blue

Hair light

Beard none

Clothes light brown suit with stripes, lavender shirt

Nationality American

Cap or Hat gray cap

Occupation switchman

Wanted for forgery

Remarks If arrested, hold and notify me.

graph and description is herewith
by this office, charged with the
having defrauded Boise business
\$10,000.00

DESCRIPTION:

60 inches
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ightly thin
e, eyes blue and small

ment
worked indoors and his hands are soft
resident of Boise for over 20 years and is well known

charged with having forged mortgages aggregating a
\$10,000.00 and before the investigation is completed
\$1,000.00. Please keep a sharp lookout for this fellow
; if found arrest, hold and notify,



MMITT PFOST, Sheriff

BOISE, IDAHO

WANTED FOR FORGERY

JAMES P. McINNARA
alias
FRED McCLOSKEY

P. C. 470

On March 14, 1925, McInnara passed at least nine and possibly
as many as twenty-four (24) checks, at various stores in this
city, each written for Forty-five Dollars (\$45.00), dated
March 14, 1925, and drawn on the Bank of Palo Alto, and made
payable to James P. McInnara, to which the name of Clifton S.
Slonaker had been forged.

McInnara has been in the employ of the Slonaker Printing
House since December 1, 1924 and is a very high grade journeyman
printer. During Slonaker's absence, McInnara secured twenty-four
blank checks from Slonaker's check book, numbered from 806
to 830, and using the check protector belonging to Slonaker, made
out these checks for \$45.00 each.

His description follows:

Name: James P. McInnara
alias Fred McCloskey

TEETH: Very noticeably yellow

HEIGHT: 5'-6"

SPEECH: Southern accent.

WEIGHT: 130-135

HAIR: Smooth shaven.

AGE: 28-30

DRS

COMPLEXION: Dark; Dark blue
eyes; dark wavy hair; dark
heavy eyebrows.

McInnara is a painter by trade and
occupation when out of other work. Has
and smoke stacks.

May try to get a position either as

I hold felony warrant for McInnara,
and wire me, collect. I will send office



WANTED

GEORGE ROMAUS, 35 years, 5 foot,
6 inches, 140 pounds, a Greek, olive com-
plexion, a wrestler, wanted in this city
for passing bogus bank drafts on a De
troit Bank.

This party will be found around wrest-
lers.

Cause investigation to be made appre-
hending this party and advising this office
and officer will come for him.

Wire all information collect to

D. E. GANNAN,
Chief of Detectives,
Springfield, Illinois.

OFFICE OF CHIEF OF POLICE.

STOCKTON, CALIFORNIA. #15840. APRIL 4th 1925.

I hold felony warrant for S. A. CHARLES described
as 30 years; 5 ft. 7 in.; 150 lbs.; light complexion;
sandy hair; irregular teeth; small mustache; eyes are
blood-shot with dark rings; dressed in blue suit light
stripe; dark cravatette overcoat; green fedomahat;
carries letters of recommendation from REO and STAR
auto agencies of Reno, Nevada; has check book in
possession on Washoe County Bank of Reno; cashed a
\$50.00 check here on Commercial Savings Bank and
skipped. Arrest, hold and wire me at my expense.

Very Truly Yours,
C. W. POTTER.
Chief of Police.

Palo Alto
L. A. ZICK,
Chief of Police.

For Forgeries

WARRANTS ISSUED



LEDA LAVATA (True Name)

Alias Mrs. Thomas E. Goddard
Alias Veda Davis—20 years;
5 feet 5 inches; 115 pounds;
Spanish type; very dark complexion



THOMAS E. GODDARD
Alias Bruce Richards—29 years;
150 pounds; medium complexion;
very erect; left leg amputated;
has cork leg; wears glasses; is
a Stenographer.

Also Mary Lavata; 19 years; 5 feet 4 inches; 120 pounds; very dark; complexion; Spanish type.

The persons are clever check swindlers, who have successfully operated in this city. Goddard obtains employment with large corporation. At first opportunity steals blank checks, then uses photostatic and forges names of company officials. The women then endorse check and cash same through merchants.

I will extradite from any state.

Arrest, hold and wire me collect.

JOSEPH E. BURBIDGE,
Chief of Police

Salt Lake City, Utah, March 3, 1925.

Arrest, I hold Felony Warrant for the following described party:

R. M. HAGEN, alias R. H. SCHAFER, DR. H. M. SCHAFER (latter name being a forgery)
25 years of age,
5 feet 6 inches,
160 pounds,
Dark complexion, smooth shaven,
Dark hair,
Brown eyes!
Reported to have limped in left leg; may be put on.
Wore a checkered vest.

The above described party passed several checks on local lumber companies, which were returned by the bank on which they were drawn, marked "No Funds." He selects a small order of rough lumber, claiming he is building a house for his father and needs the rough lumber for forms. Later he stated that he would return and order a large bill. He pays for the first order with a check for \$20.00 and receives the balance in cash. The lumber is delivered to an empty lot where the lumberman finds other lumber from different lumber firms which have been defrauded likewise.

In one case he had some printing done and gave bad checks for \$20.00 for the work, receiving small balance in cash. The printing consisted of letter heads, cards, envelopes and doctor's prescription pads. The name he had printed on the above was Dr. H. M. Schafer, Dudley Building (fictitious) and fictitious telephone numbers. The city "Long Beach" appears on the letter heads and envelopes, but not on the cards or prescription blanks. There is a doctor here by name of H. M. Schafer, who has offices in the Pacific Southwest Trust & Savings Bank Bldg., but he does not know Hagen, alias Schafer.

This fellow will try to pose as this doctor to pass forged checks in your vicinity. Look out for him. Warn banks, hotels and merchants.

Fridley & Blunt.
Bad Check Detail.

P. B. Kutz, Supt.,
Bureau of Records.

Respectfully,

J. S. Yancy,
Chief of Police,
Long Beach, California.

Long Beach
3/25/25

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Allen Stein
Whose photograph and description is herewith
given, is wanted by this office, charged with the
crime of forgery, having defrauded Boise business
men out of over \$10,000.00

Already Allen Stein
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DESCRIPTION:
Age 36 years
Height 5 feet 10 inches
Weight 155 pounds
Medium slender build
Complexion medium
Hair brown, slightly thin
Features sharp, eyes blue and small
Neat dresser
Quick of movement
He has always worked indoors and his hands are soft
He has been a resident of Boise for over 20 years and is well known
here.



This man is charged with having forged mortgages aggregating a
sum of approximately \$10,000.00 and before the investigation is completed
it may amount to \$20,000.00. Please keep a sharp lookout for this fellow
as he is wanted badly; if found arrest, hold and notify.

EMMITT P. POST, Sheriff

Dated January 10, 1925

BOISE, IDAHO

WANTED FOR FORGERY

JAMES P. McMANARA
alias
FRED McCLOSKEY

P. C. 470

On March 14, 1925, McManara passed at least nine and possibly
as many as twenty-four (24) checks, at various stores in this
city, each written for Forty-five Dollars (\$45.00), dated
March 14, 1925, and drawn on the Bank of Palo Alto, and made
payable to James P. McManara, to which the name of Clifton S.
Slonaker had been forged.

McManara has been in the employ of the Slonaker Printing
House since December 1, 1924 and is a very high grade journeyman
printer. During Slonaker's absence, McManara secured twenty-four
blank checks from Slonaker's check book, numbered from 806
to 830, and using the check protector belonging to Slonaker, made
out these checks for \$45.00 each.

His description follows:

NAME:	James P. McManara	TEETH:	Very noticeably yellow.
alias:	Fred McCloskey	SPEECH:	Southern accent.
HEIGHT:	5'-6"	HAIR:	Smooth shaven.
WEIGHT:	130-135	DESS:	Soft finished worsted suit; greenish gray business suit; 1/2 inch stripe. May have on light Beaver hat.
AGE:	28-30		
COMPLEXION:	Dark; Dark blue eyes; dark wavy hair; dark heavy eyebrows.		

McManara is a painter by trade and uses his printer's
occupation when out of other work. Has followed painting stoeps
and smoke stacks.

May try to get a position either as painter or printer.

I hold felony warrant for McManara. If located, arrest
and wire me, collect. I will send officer.

Palo Alto 3/16 25-
L. A. ZICK,
Chief of Police.



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EDWARD McSHANE,
Chief of Police,
Palo Alto, Calif.

\$50 Reward

JAMES P. MURPHY

With collar marks "J. P. B" and
"H. O. K." is wanted by Chief of
Police, Bogalusa, Louisiana, for
Forgery, Theft and Embezzlement.
Any information leading to his
apprehension, will collect to

T. A. MAGEE,

**Chief of Police,
Bogalusa, La.**

February 24, 1925.



Circular #37.

San Diego, Calif.
March 5, 1925.

FORGERY

Cancelled per notice 4/10/25.
GEORGE A. WHITE.

Described as follows: American; age, 32 years,
height, 6 feet 1 inch; weight, 165 pounds, brown hair, brown
or gray eyes, medium complexion, slender build, and has large
jaw bones. Was formerly connected with the State Compensa-
tion Insurance Fund, #202 State Building, San Francisco, and
contly had an office as Claim Investigator and Adjuster, Room
#1016 California State Life Insurance Building, Sacramento,
California. Was driving a Jewett Touring Car, 1924
License 925-563.

I am very anxious to apprehend this man and ask
your co-operation in the arrest of him. Will send any wher
for him. If arrested notify me at my expense.

VENICE POLICE DEPARTMENT

VENICE, CALIFORNIA

**HENRY H. MCCAUSLAND
CHIEF**

March 13, 1925.

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Bureau of Identification,
Venice Police Department,

Supt.

March 31st, 1925.

ARREST J.L. ARBESOOD-----CHECKS NO FUNDS

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AGE 35 to 40
5' 8" to 5' 10"

FICTITIOUS CHECKS

J. D. ALLEN: age about 20 yrs height 5 ft., 10 ins.

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Twenty-three and --- 75/100 DOLLARS
EXACTLY TWENTY THREE DOLLARS SEVENTY FIVE CENTS EXACTLY

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MODесто, CAL. March 25, 1925 No 83

PAY TO THE ORDER OF
C. V. Halsey \$ 23.75

COMERCIAL

If located arrest hold and wire, I hold John Doe felony
warrant.

C. H. COFF, Sheriff
Stanislaus County.

O.K.
Supt. B. of I.

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#6445

March 31st, 1925.

ARREST J.L. AREGOOD-----CHECKS NO FUNDS

Age 35 to 40
 Height 5'7
 Weight about 150
 Round face
 Med comp
 Light mustache (small)
 Heavy drinker

True name may be KNOT, and will probably
 be driving a Marmon car lic # 792-530.

He handles stocks and bonds and no doubt
 will be found in that business are around some office where
 stocks and bonds are handled.

Arrest and wire all information collect

L. Desgrandchamp
 Chief of PD



W. R. SCHAFFER

\$50.00 Reward - 244
 I hold Felony Warrant for W. R. SCHAFFER, charge "DRAWING A
 CHECK ON A BANK WITHOUT HAVING FUNDS OR CREDIT
 THEREIN WITH WHICH TO MEET SAME, WITH INTENT TO DE-
 FRAUD."
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DESCRIPTION AS FOLLOWS: German, speaks English brokenly;
 age, 46 years; height, approximately 5 feet 3 inches; weight, 165 pounds;
 brown hair, grey eyes, medium complexion; wears nose glasses at times;
 and may be wearing a large gold nugget on his watch chain. Usually stops
 at medium-class hotels, and poses as a mining engineer, a land buyer of
 means, and sometimes represents himself to be an oil magnate. He may be
 accompanied by his wife, Mrs. Margaret Eleanor Dunlap Schaffer, who is
 about a head taller than he is, and who may have her sister with her.

I am very anxious to apprehend this man and will extradite from any
 state. Arrest, hold, and notify me and I will send officer with proper papers
 for his return. *S. Diego - 4/30/25.*

JAMES C. BYERS. Sheriff.

FICTITIOUS CHECKS

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I hold felony warrant.

F. A. AVERBECK; age 20 yrs., height 5 ft., 8 or
 9 ins., weight 170 lbs., medium dark complexion, sandy hair.

Generally has with him a small Irish terrier.

I hold felony warrant.

R. L. HILL,

Sheriff Tulare County
 Visalia, Calif.

Dated March 20, 1925.

Arrest, I hold Felony Warrants for the following described woman:-

MRS. HARRIET McDONALD, alias MRS. ROBERT BURNS, passing checks signed JOHN H. McDONALD.

Descriptions vary on this woman. Local victims describe her as 30 years of age,
 about 5 feet 3½ inches in height, brown eyes and brown hair. Los Angeles Police
 Bulletin gives her as 38 years of age, about 5 feet 7 inches in height, reddish
 blonde hair and blue eyes.
 Medium complexion.
 Wore dark clothing, good appearance.

The above described woman, using names mentioned above, passing several "No
 Bund" checks on local merchants; checks were drawn on a local bank for various
 amounts, made payable to Mrs. Harriet McDonald, signed John H. McDonald. She
 gave same address in each case, said address being fictitious. She hung up
 nine pieces of her paper in one department store.

This woman also operated in Los Angeles, using name of Mrs. Robert Burns.
 See Los Angeles Police Bulletin dated March 13th, 1925.

If located, arrest and advise me.

Respectfully,

(Blunt & Fridley)

F. B. Kutz, Supt.,
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VENICE POLICE DEPARTMENT

VENICE, CALIFORNIA

HENRY H. McCausland
CHIEF

March 13, 1925.

Dear Sir:

Two check operators working in Venice Saturday
Morning, March 7th, victimized several merchants for
considerable amounts.

They represented themselves as father and son
and pretended to be working as carpenters. Their method
was to call at the place of business in the morning and
persuade the merchant to hold some article of apparel
until they got their pay checks in the afternoon, at
which time they would take them. They did. Receiving
the difference in cash, they would leave, taking their
purchase with them.

From one of their victims they took a burnt
orange colored dress with a tan frill down the front,
size thirty-eight, and a pair of stockings to match.

- #1 42, 6', 175#, lanky build, dark hair, dark hat,
loose dark suit. New shoes.
- #2. 18, 5'2", 135#, slight build, curly, light blond
hair, grey trousers, bell bottom, dark coat, Cap.
Looked like school boy.

If apprehended notify and we will send for
them.

Bureau of Identification,
Venice Police Department.

L. E. Harsely
Supt.

March 31st, 1925.

#6445

ARREST J.L. ARNGOOD-----CHECKS NO FUNDS

Age 35 to 40

Height 5'7"

Weight 150

FICTITIOUS CHECKS

J. D. ALLEN: age about 20 yrs, height 5 ft, 10 ins.,
weight 135 lbs, dark complexion, dark eyes, resembles an Italian.

In re: W. CALES alias W. E. CHAMBERS, alias K. WIEL.
alias F. J. CROWE, alias W. E. HARGREAVE.

*John Q. #783
April 30, 1935*



Subject impersonated an Agent of the Department of Justice, at Richmond, Va. on March 21st, and there cashed a worthless check for \$189 drawn on the Northwest National Bank of Philadelphia, Pa. with a rubber stamped certification which was fraudulent. This Subject has cashed a large number of worthless checks on hotels in various parts of the United States identifying himself by an American passport bearing his photograph and the name W. E. CALES, this passport being issued through the American Consulate at Warsaw, Poland.

This man is reported to have traveled all over the United States, Central and South America, passing worthless checks. One method of operation is to go into radio stores and purchase an expensive radio set, giving what purports to be a certified check for a sum in excess of the cost, and receiving the difference in cash. He seems to specialize in radio stores and usually visits them on Friday or Saturday evenings.

He is wanted at Detroit, Michigan, Richmond, Virginia and Washington, D. C.

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Cancelled 5/11/37.*

His description is given as - Height, 5' 11"; weight, about 200 lbs.; forehead high; eyes, blue; nose, large; chin round, face round; hair, grey, frequently dyed brown or black; complexion, light; age, about 55 or 60 years. He is of Dutch-French descent and speaks with a foreign accent. He wore a blue suit, possibly with label marked Laver-Greentree, Richmond, Va.

A photograph is attached.

Every effort should be made to apprehend this man and his cooperation of all Peace Officers requested. If apprehended wire Norfolk, N. and Washington, D. C. local Offices as well as the Bureau.

Dept of Justice.

Very truly yours,

J. E. HOOVER

Director.

W A N T E D

on a Felony Warrant charging " Fict. Checks":-

Cic. 3-307

April 16, 1935.

JOHN HAYES,
American
age: 26 or 27 years
hgt.: 5ft 7"
wt.: 130 Lbs
build medium
hair dark
eyes brown

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This Bird picks on service stations, buys gas and oil and leaves bum paper behind. Drives a Ford Coupe Lic. # 106-3118 (24 Lic.)

I hold a felony warrant charging " Fict. Check":- for

FRANK McDONALD,
American
age: 45 yrs
hgt.: 5ft 7"
wt.: 160 Lbs
hair dark
dark moustache
Occ Gardener

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Driving a Chandler Chummy Roadster, 1918 Model, 1925 Lic. # 485-719 Motor # 40039. May have with him a young man and woman. This man also forged several checks in this county.

Stolen Car.

Ford touring, 1923 Model, 25 Lic. # 353-489, Motor # 8234042 black body and wheels, Good-Year Fabric Tires all around, equipped with Speedometer, Dashlight, Spare tire on rear. Registered Owner Lillian Wollaston, Santa Ana, Calif.

Phone or wire any information on the above at our expense.

By: Zabel.
Bu. of Ident.

Santa Ana

SAM JERNIGAN,
Sheriff.

JOHN L. JAMES, Age, 22 to 25 years; height, 5'11"; weight, 170 lbs; brown hair, light complexion; wearing a light gray suit, is as follows: Came to a jewelry store accompanied by a young and very 'shy' appearing girl, who waited outside while he entered and introduced himself as an employee of the Standard Oil Company, priced diamond rings - wanted an engagement ring for the girl outside - signalled her to enter but she only refused. He finally selected a ring, wrote a check for \$185.00 on the Bank of Italy, took the ring, walked outside, embraced the girl and away they went. We went them back to explain the transaction as the satisfaction of our course, since the check was fictitious. Pick him up and wire at our expense.

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RAYMOND J. BURNS, PRES.

W. SHERMAN BURNS, SEC. & TREAS.

THE WILLIAM J. BURNS INTERNATIONAL DETECTIVE AGENCY, INC.

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TELEPHONE: MAIN 4064-S

CABLE ADDRESS: WILBURNS

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BENJAMIN H. WHITE, dealer in bonds, whose picture, description and handwriting appears in this circular, disappeared from his residence in Chicago on Sunday, March 8, 1925.



A GOOD LIKENESS

A warrant for his arrest was issued on March 11, 1925, at Chicago, Illinois, charging him with making fictitious instruments in writing for the payment of money with intent to defraud; the charge specified is a felony in the State of Illinois.

Warrant is in the possession of the Chief of Police in Chicago, and the Illinois authorities will extradite White wherever located.

DESCRIPTION

Name..... Benjamin H. White
Residence..... Chicago, Illinois
Nativity..... American
Occupation..... Bond Dealer
Age..... 39 years
Height..... 5 feet 11 inches
Weight..... 170 pounds
Build..... Slender
Hair..... Brown
Complexion..... Medium
Eyes..... Dark

Remarks:

Prominent forehead.
Bald on top of head.
Large mouth.
Large teeth of poor appearance.
Always uses eyeglasses.

Writing as traced below appears the same on all signature cards.

See also our Circulars Nos. 324, of Dec. 30, 1924, and 327 of Feb. 9, 1925

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Watch your new savings accounts. Should one be opened by a man whom you believe may be the swindler wanted, do not delay in at once notifying us and your local police authorities. If you desire to confirm your suspicions a prompt personal check at address given in opening the account will help to satisfy you. If you believe you have the right man, don't let him get away. If he spreads the word how easy he has found California banks a mob of check swindlers will swoop down upon us.

Issued by Direction Protective Committee,
California Bankers Association,
F. H. Colburn, Secretary.

JOY L. JAMES, Age 32 to 35 years; height 5'11"; weight 140 lbs.; brown hair, light complexion; wearing a light gray jacket. JAMES is wanted here for bad checks, and his method of operation is as follows: Came to a jewelry store accompanied by a young man and very 'shy' appearing girl, who waited 'outside while he purchased and introducing himself as an employee of The Standard Oil Company, priced diamond rings - wanted an engagement ring for the girl outside - signaled her to enter but she stayed in the store. JAMES then took the girl outside, embraced the girl and away they went. We want them back to explain the transaction to the SA. JAMES was fictitious. PIC

California Bankers Association

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
628 MILLS BUILDING, SAN FRANCISCO
TELEPHONE DOUGLAS 1716

(THIS CIRCULAR SHOULD BE INSERTED IN C. B. A. BINDER FOR REFERENCE)

Circular No. 333

Series 1924-25

April 23, 1925

WARNING!

READ THIS CIRCULAR AND HELP
US CATCH A CROOK WHO IS LAUGHING AT
CALIFORNIA BANKERS

To Executive Officer of the Bank Addressed: This is our THIRD attempt by circular to prevent a loss to a member bank by a worthless check swindler who operates through your savings department. In spite of our two previous circulars this man continues to "get by." Please insist that every member of your organization opening new accounts and members of your Savings Department familiarize himself with this circular and handwriting appearing on reverse side of it.

We urge you to assist us in halting a slick check swindler who for several months has successfully "trimmed" California bankers. There is nothing new in his scheme. He opens a savings account with Cash, \$15 to \$35, giving a fictitious name and address. Several days later deposits a check on an out-of-town bank drawn in his favor for \$50. Then withdraws amount of his cash deposit. In a few days following again deposits one or two checks on local banks and withdraws \$25 to \$75 against the uncollected credit.

Names mean nothing in this case. A different one is used with each operation such as Hecht, Lehman, Bernard, Stern, Litt, Bach, Sanger, Serrins, Tauben, ^{Rosen} ~~Tasen~~, Barnett, Mason and ~~Rossman~~. ^{Ralph}

This crook is described as about 25 years, 5 feet 7 inches, slender build, a rather thin long face. Descriptions vary somewhat but the handwriting as traced below appears the same on all signature cards.

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California Bankers Association,
F. H. Colburn, Secretary.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

90-1060

BERKELEY

No.

BERKELEY, CALIFORNIA

Dec. 18, 1924

PAY TO
THE ORDER OF

Mrs. C. F. Webb. \$15.00

DOLLARS

M. B. Moore.

Spent for First Checks.

MRS. C. F. WEBB, age about 30 years; height 5 feet, 4 inches; weight about 115 pounds; think dark eyes; sallow complexion; prominent cheek bones; peg tooth with gold band upper front. Has peculiar way of winking right eye, probably nervous affliction. Wears old style gold wedding ring.

Has boy, about five years old, with her—brown eyes; light hair (mischievous).

May have man with her—about 35 to 40 years old; 5 feet, 10 inches tall; 165 pounds; slight squint one eye. (Mode of operating)

Mrs. Webb called at the Antioch Shoe Store, saying that she expected a check from her father in Berkeley, that it had not come, but would no doubt be in on the next mail; asked to be allowed to select a pair of shoes and have them put aside until the check came. She came back on the following Saturday after banking hours. saying that she was sorry but would have to ask the proprietor to hold the shoes until Monday unless he would cash the check for her as she was not acquainted in town; that her husband was a carpenter.

These are probably the same parties as described in circular No. 441. Paso Robles, San Luis Obispo County, and circular issued by Chief of Police C. A. Smith of Marysville.

Wire any information to me at my expense.

R. R. VEALE, Sheriff, Contra Costa Co.,
Martinez, Calif., Telephone Martinez 81

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
DIVISION OF INVESTIGATION
REWARD FOR PASSING FORGED GOVERNMENT CHECKS;
TRAVELING AUTOMOBILES.

Please watch for Maxwell touring car, 1922 model, California license B29-878, motor No. 87744, dark blue body, black top, disc wheels, spare Mason retread tire. Arrest the following described parties, for whom a felony warrant has been issued by U. S. Commissioner Francis Krull at San Francisco, California, for violating Section 20, U. S. Criminal Code (Passing forged Government check for \$435.40.)

No. 1. 22 to 27 years; 5 ft. 6; stocky build, light hair and complexion; smooth shaven, full, round face; something peculiar about nose, gray suit.

No. 2. 19 to 21 years; 5ft. 6; skinny build; light complexion; thin face; wearing cream or brown colored overcoat; light fedora hat.

The two men above described obtained check for \$435.40, payable by the Treasurer of the United States, from the hotel of the rightful owner, James John Vargas, 45 Franklin Street, San Francisco, Cal., which they passed bearing forged indorsement of Vargas, April 22, 1925, on a secondhand car dealer in this city for the above described car.

Notify the undersigned by telegraph, marking telegram "Official Business, Government rate, collect, or telephone Market 4788, San Francisco, Cal., of any information regarding the auto or men and greatly oblige.

April 25, 1925. Respectfully,
San Fran.
THOMAS B. FOSTER,
Agent in Charge.

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California Lumber Association

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
628 MILLS BUILDING, SAN FRANCISCO
TELEPHONE DOUGLAS 1716

Circular No. 330.

April 9, 1925

Series 1924-1925

(THIS CIRCULAR SHOULD BE INSERTED IN C. E. A. BINDER FOR REFERENCE)

Special Warning!

Stolen Bonds; Worthless Check Swindler; Forger

Stolen Bonds of National Orange Show

Twenty Bonds issued by the National Orange Show, San Bernardino, were stolen early in March from the office of State Senator Ralph E. Swing.

These First Mortgage 7% Gold Bonds are numbered 166 to 185, both inclusive; denomination \$100; dated September 1, 1924; due September 1, 1934. Coupons payable March 1 and September 1, \$3.50 each, bearing same numbers as the bond.

Member banks are asked to keep careful watch for these bonds or their coupons. If presented, ascertain how they came into possession of the presenter.

Customers of your bank such as bond dealers and investment houses will appreciate the courtesy if you will pass along this information to them.

Forger With Stolen Cashier Checks and Bank Drafts

Not long ago the Free Press Company of Mankato, Minn., reported that a number of blank cashier's checks and bank drafts it was printing for various banks in different parts of the United States were stolen from its office.

Since the report of the theft several of these stolen check forms have shown up in the Middle West bearing forged signatures of officers of banks and it is now reported that the man cashing these stolen checks is headed for California.

The forger, it is stated, has used the name B. T. Scott, D. W. Hendricks—Robert H. Graham and Lloyd Graham, and is a mechanical engineer of some ability.

In order to identify himself he claims to be a for-

mer employee of the E. C. Palmer Co. of New Orleans, or the Geo. C. Worthington Co. of Cleveland, or the Brunswick-Harris Co. of New York, using forged letters of recommendation.

Scott is described as 38 years, 5 feet 8 inches, 140 pounds, smooth shaven, thin face, high cheek bones, prominent nose, small mouth, thin lips, dark brown hair almost black, cut long and brushed straight back, slight wave. His voice is decidedly hollow, high tone, pleasant, soft, Southern accent—pronounces Des Moines as Day'M and Duluth as Dee'luth, accent invariably on the first syllable. He is further described as of nervous temperament, quick in movements, always ready to be on the move, and very courteous.

He is travelling with a woman described as 5 feet 4 inches, 100 pounds, dark brown eyes, straight thin nose, small mouth, talks extremely low, hardly opening her mouth, thin lips. Her hair is black, parted in the middle with rolls over each ear. Wears small narrow engraved wedding ring.

Be on guard at all times and permit no officer or employee to advance funds on uncollected items when presented by strangers. Caution in dealing with strangers is the best possible form of protection.

Worthless Check Swindler—William Bowen

Watch for William Bowen. He is a check swindler with a plausible scheme by which he has defrauded banks in Spokane, Washington, Vancouver, Washington and San Francisco, California.

This is the way that Bowen has worked his swindle as reported to us: Presents a savings pass book on an out-of-town bank stating he wishes to transfer his ac-

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WANTED - FORGERY Case B 365
Herbert ROSS, Alias Jack Donald GUNDERSON, Jas. E. PORTER, J.C. HORTON, A.G. DUNNAP, dark hair, 5'6", 135 lbs., about 32 yrs., pale dark complexion. Also wanted as Jack S. GUNDERSON, Assisted Police Circular No. 222, cf. Revy. 26. 1925 and Stockton Sheriff, Revy 20, 1925.
WANTED - FICTITIOUS CHECKS Case B 684
E.J. DICKENSON, Alias J.J. SICKMAN, light grey hair, 5'6", 180 lbs, 50 to 55 yrs, light complexion. Passed a check on a dry goods store.

Shoulder No.42.

San Diego, Calif.,
April 16, 1925.

CHECKS WITHOUT FUNDS.

R. E. JENNINGS,

Described as follows: American; Age, 32 years; height, 5 feet 11 inches; weight, 170 pounds; dark hair, dark eyes; dark complexion. This man was supposed to have been around Calwa, Fresno County, California.

FICTITIOUS CHECKS

DANIEL D. DAVIS.

Described as follows: American; age, 40 years; height, 5 feet 9 inches; weight, 180 pounds; blonde hair, fair complexion; has half of right foot amputated but does not walk lame. He claims to be a steam shovel engineer.

4-7-25-28 CHECKS 4/1/25
Officers are instructed to be on the alert for a man using the name of J. SEXTON, who is wanted by the Forgery Detail for issuing bad checks, xton is described as follows: American, white, sandy hair, medium build, smooth shaven, height 5 feet 6 inches, light complexion, weight 100 pounds, occupation truck driver, 37 years. Wears overalls and a tie shirt.
The most recent check issued by a man was signed R. C. Story Company (a fictitious firm name). It was made out for twenty-five dollars.

It is probable that Sexton will attempt to cash other fictitious checks Los Angeles, and all officers are instructed to arrest him, if possible, to report any information regarding his whereabouts to the Forgery Detail in the Detective Bureau.

Shoulder No. 42.

San Diego, Calif.,
April 16, 1925.

CHECKS WITHOUT FUNDS.

A. E. JENNINGS.

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Described as follows: American; Age, 32 years;
height, 5 feet 11 inches; Weight, 170 pounds; dark hair, dark eyes;
dark complexion. This man was supposed to have been around Calwa,
Pescadero County, California.

FICTITIOUS CHECKS

DANIEL D. DAVIS.

Described as follows: American; age, 40 years;
height, 5 feet 9 inches; weight, 180 pounds; blonde hair, fair com-
plexion; has half of right foot amputated but does not walk lame.
He claims to be a steam shovel engineer.

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WANTED - FICTITIOUS CHECKS Case B 253 & B 526
Virginia A. BROWN. Brown Hair. 5'7". 195 lbs. 30 to 40 yrs. Fair
complexion. This lady is driving a Nash roadster
and had 1924 license No. 832,948, legal owner.
Williams, McAllester & Weber, Inc., Fresno, Calif.
Passes checks ranging from \$5.00 to \$50.00 on ser-
vice stations.

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WANTED - FORGERY Case B 525

Herbert ROSS, Aliases Jack Donald GUNDERSON, Jas. P. PORTER, J.C.
HORTON, A.G. DUNLAP, dark hair, 5'6", 135 lbs., about
22 yrs., pale dark complexion. Also wanted as Jack
D. GUNDERSON, Pasadena Police Circular No. 222, cf
Feb. 26, 1923 and Stockton Sheriff, Feb. 20, 1925.

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WANTED - FICTITIOUS CHECKS Case B 524
E.J. DICENSON, Alias R.D. GUNDERSON. Light grey hair, 5'6", 150 lbs, 50 to
45 yrs, light complexion. Passed a check on a dry
goods store.

Los Angeles BAD CHECKS

7/7/25
Officers are instructed to be on the
alert for a man using the name of J.

SEXTON, who is wanted by the
Burgery Detail for issuing bad checks,
Sexton is described as follows: Amer-
ican, white, sandy hair, medium
build, smooth shaven, height 5 feet
6 inches, light complexion, weight
150 pounds, occupation truck driver,
is 37 years. Wears overalls and a
je shirt.

The most recent check issued by
this man was signed R.C. Storrey
Company (a fictitious firm name),
and was made out for twenty-five dol-
lars.

It is probable that Sexton will at-
tempt to cash other fictitious checks
Los Angeles, and all officers are
instructed to arrest him, if possible,
to report any information regard-
ing his whereabouts to the Forgery
Detail in the Detective Bureau.

To All Officers Commanding.
All Divisions and Detachments.

Regina, Saskatchewan.
April 24th. 1925.

Circular Memorandum No. 205.

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I hold Warrant for the arrest of a man giving the name of Alex Thompson, alias John Boran, alias Wm. Tuzmi, alias J. Bowman, alias J. Carl, on the charge of theft of the following tickets of the Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company at Kincaid, Saskatchewan:-

Numbers : 430653, 430654, 430655, 430656, 430657, 430658, 430659, 430660, 430793, 430794, 430795, 430796, 430797, 430798, 430799, 430800.

On April 13th, he called at the store of J.J. Haney, at Cadillac, Saskatchewan, and passed one of the referred to stolen grain tickets.

On April 18th, he called at the stores of A.I. Buckwold and J.J. Haney, at Cadillac in this Province, and purchased goods and gave forged grain tickets in payment thereof, getting the balance over and above the price of his purchases, in cash.

This accused passed Ticket No. 430795 at Aird's store in Shaunavon, for the amount of \$105.00 endorsing the ticket as J. Bowman.

He also passed Ticket No. 430658 at Stevenson Bros. Departmental store, Shaunavon. This ticket he made out and endorsed as J. Carl.

The description of this man is as follows:-

Nationality, Irish American, age 55 to 60 years old, height 6 feet or over, weight about 200 lbs, grey hair, crooked nose, short grey moustache, very dirty appearance, scar on left side of neck, has some peculiarity about his mouth when speaking, is an expert sleight-of-hand man and claims to be an old sailor, when last seen wore leather cap, leather vest and moleskin coat.

This man went from Shaunavon, Saskatchewan, to Harlem, from Harlem to Havre, Montana, and from Havre to Great Falls.

In each case where tickets were presented for payment by this man, the name of B.D. Campbell, Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Buyer at Cadillac, was forged thereon and the tickets were also stamped with the Company's rubber stamp of the Cadillac Elevator.

This man represented that he was a farmer residing in Saskatchewan near the Montana boundary, south of Cadillac and represented to the merchants on whom he passed these tickets that he required the supplies for his use.

If Located arrest and telegraph me, when an escort will be sent with the Warrant for the arrest of Thompson.

WANTED FOR FORGERY

C.A. MAHONY.
Commissioner, Provincial Police.



84 J. L. Cress or Kress

Age, about 24.

5 feet, 7 inches; dark blue eyes; pointed nose; black hair; thin features; weight, 130 pounds; good dancer. Dancing instructor, he claims.

Driving Chalmers touring car, 1920 model; license 883-253.

Passed three forged checks here. Use every effort to locate this man.

WIRE ALL INFORMATION AT MY EXPENSE

R. E. CLARK,

Sheriff Ventura County, Ventura, Calif.

A warrant charging CORA M. SMITH, pictured above, with five counts of forgery has been issued in Justice Court, Department E, Justice Blake. A description of this girl follows: American, age 19, height 5 ft. 6 in., weight 135 lbs., dark brown eyes, hair dark brown, bobbed, medium build, occupation nurse, book-keeper and stenographer. She has victimized numerous merchants and business people in this city and Detective Roselli also wants her on a burglary charge.

Send any information regarding this case to Detective William W. Warn, Forgery Detail, Central Detective Headquarters.

No. 20

WANTED BY THIS DEPARTMENT

NOTE: This Department holds arrest warrants for persons whose description appear under this heading.

9423. Wanted for passing fictitious checks, no funds, J. M. WISE.

9424. Wanted for passing checks, no funds, J. M. WISE.

9425. Wanted for passing checks, no funds, J. M. WISE.

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Idem. D. 2779
April 27, 1925.

Age - 35 years; Height 5'8" or 5'9"; Stout; Dark brown hair, inclined to curl; always clean shaven; round features; good looking; genial disposition, always smiling, even when conversing; slight defect in left leg, causing him to throw foot outwards when walking; fond of women, frequently in their company; does not wear jewelry; dressed smartly, well tailored clothes; unmarried; fond of horse racing and fairly good tennis player.

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377-B.

as described in the California Bankers Association Circular No. 333.

6/16/25

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C. L. Collins
Chief Police

Redwood City, Cal.

Chief Police

WANTED FOR FORGERY-----V. J. TINNEY

Age 24

It brown hair (combs straight back)

Neat dresser

Uses a great deal of slang

...rolling his eyes back

A man about 22 or 23 years old, height about 5 feet 7 inches, weight about 170 or 175 lbs., complexion light. Has a fine set of teeth. American. Generally hangs around camp grounds, and passes bogus checks on grocery stores. When last seen, he was wearing a light cap with chauffeur's badge pinned on front, blue overalls. Driving a Chevrolet touring car, 1923 model. License, 311984. Arrest, hold and witnesses at his expense.

325 4th Avenue
B. B. MANFORD,
Sheriff of Sutter County.
Yuba City, Calif.
May 29, 1925.

Yuba City, Calif.,
May 29, 1925

WANTED.

Circ 75-310

June 13, 1935
on a felony warrant charging "Fict. Checks." Santa Ana

L. M. FULLER.

American

age: 40 yrs. hgt: 5 ft. 7" wgt: 135 lbs.
hair black, eyes dark, build medium,
face tanned, walks slightly stoop-shouldered
Works on grocery stores making small purchases and paying
for same with bum checks taking the difference in cash.

ARREST THIS MAN AND NOTIFY M.M.

(Case #5866.)

Fridley & Blunt,
Check Detail.

F. B. Kutz, Supt.,
Bureau of Records.

D. CLYDE TURK,

American, about 48 years of age, 5 feet 8 inches, about 145 pounds, light
brown hair, blue eyes, sallow complexion, smooth shaven.

TURK, in company with a man name PINTO, who posed as a chauffeur, driving a
Buick coupe, Louisiana License #46-907, passed three checks, drawn on CITIZENS BANK
& TRUST CO., of PLUMENINE, La., with forged certifications, checks passed on Acme
Garage, this city. PINTO is described as of the Southern type, dark complexion,
about 30 years of age, about 6 feet in height.

Both men stayed at the ROYALTON HOTEL, this city, for five days, leaving on
April 27th without paying room rent. It is thought that they have headed for San
Diego, California.

TURK is also wanted at Baton Rouge, La.

Bull. 674
May 6, 1935.

Respectfully,

J. S. VANCE
Chief of Police,
Long Beach, California.

DEPARTMENT OF POLICE-LONG BEACH, CALIFORNIA.
BULLETIN # 681

May 4--1935

ARREST, I hold FELONY WARRANT for the following
named and described:

RAY G. CRAIG alias ROY G. CRAIG, alias ROY DOTTY

33 years of age	Finger Print Olvas
5 feet 5 inches	U 00 13
145 lbs	U 00 13
Light hazel eyes	U 00 13
Dark brown hair	U 00 13
Fair complexion	U 00 13
Muscular build	U 00 13
Teeth Good	U 00 13

FORGERY and FUGITIVE CHECKS

Scattering birth mark (cluster very small warts) point left
shoulder
All upper front and right rear teeth gold capped
Scar left point of chin

Same as RAY G. CRAIG alias ROY DOTTY Sacramento # 7173, arrest
8.15.15 Disturb the Peace, 90 days Co Jail 8.16.15 paroled.
Re-arrested Sacramento 9.25.15 Passing Bad Checks, held to
answer 10.13.15, discharged Sup. Court 10.16.15, Habeas Corpus.

Not wanted 6/1/35

Same as:
Salt Lake City # 891
Nevada State Pen # 2183
Los Angeles # 19482
Oakland # 8581
San Jose Police # 1564
Los Angeles Co # 24007
Santa Clara Co # 4740

San Quentin # 37020, transferred to Folsom # 12282, paroled 11.4.24
Forged his fathers name to several checks in this vicinity.
Rents a snappy looking auto from some rental outfit with
driver and passes checks on tire merchants and battery dealers,
buying tires and batteries, ostensibly for car in which he is
riding.

Any information, advise me at once-if located, arrest, notify me
and will send for him.

(Case # 5963)
Fridley & Blunt

F. B. Kutz
Superintendent of Records

J. S. Vance
Chief of Police
Long Beach, California

Arrest, I hold Felony Warrants for the following described parties:-

JAMES MANNING, alias G. M. McDONALD, HERALD McDONALD, CHAS. A. McDONALD, F. C.
ALLEN, WM. B. ALLEN.

About 30 years of age, about 5 feet 9 inches, 167 pounds, dark hair, smooth
face.

This fellow passed several checks on local merchants, all of which were
fictitious. He gave fictitious names and addresses. One merchant made note of
license number of automobile which Manning was driving and license number was found
to be listed to O. G. Sage, #1019 South Broadway, Los Angeles, California; this
place is a car renting concern.

This fellow carried an operators permit made out to HAROLD McDONALD, which
shows the address of 2209 North Broadway, Los Angeles, California. Address given
is fictitious. Permit number is #371-749.

(Case #5865.)

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383 A.

WANTED FOR PASSING FICTITIOUS CHECKS

5/24/25
Burbank, Cal.

E. VAN NUYS alias F. L. REEDY, described as follows: About 40 years of age, about 5 feet 10 inches tall, weight about 165 pounds, brown curly hair, blue eyes.

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Has a wife and two children with him are described as follows:

Wife about 20 years of age, 5 feet 6 or 7 inches tall, weight about 130 pounds, blond hair, blue eyes. One child about 4 years old and the other about 9 months old.

This man passed several checks on local merchants, all of which were fictitious. Made checks payable to E. VAN NUYS, and signed the fictitious name of F. L. REED. Have reason to believe that E. Van Nuys is this party's right name.

When last seen these parties were driving a Lexington Touring Car, Lic. No. unknown.

These people will probably stop at auto camps, have considerable amount of baggage and furniture with them.

WANTED FOR PASSING FICTITIOUS CHECKS

E. VAN NUYS - alias F. L. REED - Description as follows: About 30 years of age, 5 feet 10 inches tall, weight about 165 pounds, brown curly hair, blue eyes.

Has a wife and two children with him, description as follows: Wife-- about 20 years of age, 5 feet 6 or 7 inches tall, weight about 130 pounds, blond hair, blue eyes. - One child about 4 years old and the other one about 9 months old.

This man passed several checks on local merchants, all of which were fictitious. Made checks payable to E. VAN NUYS, and signed the fictitious name of F. L. REED. Have reason to believe that E. VAN-NUYS, is this party's right name.

O. Subject moved into town, rented a house and purchased furniture for same on the instalment plan. He established credit at several stores by the same method, and was always prompt with his payments. Saturday evening May 23rd, after banking hours "Subject" made the rounds of all the stores that he had been trading with and asked the merchants to cash a check for him, saying in each case that the check was a pay check and that he had been unable to get to the bank before closing time. He put over about seven checks in this manner.

When last seen VAN NUYS and family were driving a 1920 Lexington Touring Car, 1925 California No. 980-642, Engine No. 17495-- Car registered to E. Van Nuys 31 New Tent City, Long Beach, Calif. Legal owner Francis B. McKinnis, 218 Locust Ave. Long Beach, Calif.

Search all auto camps, these people will probably stop at same, have considerable amount of baggage and furniture with them.

Arrest and hold. I hold felony warrant.

Wire any information at my expense.

Sgt. G.D. Marygold
Forgery Detail.

6/2/25.

John E. Long
Chief of Police,
Burbank, Calif.



Cic. #211

Hanted
LESLIE HANCOCK, alias LESLIE LAYTON

Fict. Checks

Age 27 yrs; Height 5 ft. 11 inches; Weight 170 lbs; Complexion fair; Eyes hazel; Hair auburn; Nativity, Oregon; Occupation, tailor or clerk. Received at San Quentin prison February 6, 1920; number 33423; Received at Folsom prison - January 15, 1923; number 12370.

F. P. Classification 31 - II - 17.
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I will pay Twenty-five Dollars reward for the arrest of Leslie Hancock, alias Leslie Layton upon his delivery to an officer from this County, reward good for one year from date. Wire any information at my expense.

Onburny, Cal. - 4/30/25.

ELMER H. GUM, Sheriff.

CHARLES CULVERWELL, Sheriff of Lincoln County, Pioche, Nevada

Will pay Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) reward for information leading to the arrest and apprehension of party known as

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Charles Westbrook

a carpenter, mason and building contractor who passed a worthless check for \$500.00 at Caliente Lincoln County, Nevada, on March 31st, 1925, and absconded with the funds derived from same. His description and samples of handwriting are shown below:

Age 60; Height, 5 ft. 8 in.; Weight 142 pounds; Complexion, medium to Fair; Head, Bald, usually wears cap; Face wrinkled and lined and usually clean shaven; Has no teeth and had no plates when last seen; Wears spectacles; Hands are rough and cracked and has had broken finger; Slight build; Was wearing grey suit when last seen; Apparently well educated, can draw up good building contracts and writes well; Is moody in disposition and fond of gambling, especially poker, keeps record of his winnings and losses; Inclined to drink; Has worked recently in Plainview and Ralls, Texas, Rock Springs, Wyoming, Los Angeles, Calif., Catalina Island, Calif.

SAMPLES OF HANDWRITING

Hotel Westbrook

Ralls. Tex

Hotel Westbrook Charles Westbrook

A warrant for this man's arrest is in the hands of Charles Culverwell, Sheriff of Lincoln County, at Pioche, Nevada, who should be immediately notified of this man's arrest, as should the Bank of Pioche, Pioche, Nevada, or any of the undersigned:

WALKER BROS. BANKERS,
Salt Lake City, Utah.
NEVADA STATE POLICE
Carson City, Nevada.

AMERICAN RY. EXPRESS CO.
Any Agent
CHIEF OF POLICE
Los Angeles, Calif.
BURNS DETECTIVE AGENCY,
Nearest Office.

Caliente, Nevada, May 1st, 1925.

5079 - A. Hirsch & Son - 41 W. Santa Clara St., cashes a fictitious check for a woman signing the name of Mrs. Herman Granger, giving address as 59 North 15th St., check made out for the sum of \$25. as part payment for a diamond ring, valued at \$100. Description of ring, white gold, 2 small sapphires, one on each side of the ring. Description of woman; American, about 19 years of age, 5'-1, heavy set. *San Francisco - 5/5/25.*

5087 - J. Poligien - 902 E. Santa Clara St., cashed check on the First National Bank, for \$22, made payable to Geo. E. Page and signed with a rubber stamp the name of R. E. G. M.T. on one corner of the check is stamped with a rubber stamp, R. E. Grant's Service Station. He is described as follows: about 35 years of age, 5-6, dressed in carpenter's overalls, wearing cap. Bought a pair of shoes and received the change.

Party using the name of ALEXANDER BIEDEBENDER, alias D. F. Anderson (Treasurer of the John J. Burns Detective Agency) passed payroll checks of the amount of \$36.00 each, in the amount of \$36.00 each. Buys and sells amount of merchandise.

ROBERT H. GRAHAM

Alias George F. Rand, alias B. T. Scott, alias D. W. Hendricks.

Party using the name of ALEXANDER BIEDEBENDER, alias D. F. Anderson (Treasurer), F. D. Johnson (Treasurer) passed payroll checks of the Southern Pacific R. R. Co. in the amounts of \$36.00 each. Buys small amount of merchandise, receiving balance in cash. Described as follows:

Age: 48
Height: 5-8
Weight: 165
Hair: Black
Eyes: Dark
Comp: Dark
Mks & Scrs: Prominent stomach
Clothing: Black Carson Stetson hat (Hat turns down at side) Black vest (much worn) Black high shoes, black tie.

Party using the name of E. R. HAMER, alias W. S. Shamhart, passed check in the amount of \$48.00. Bought merchandise, receiving balance in cash. Described as follows:

Age: 35 to 40
Height: 5-7 or 8
Weight: 145 to 150
Hair: Dark
Eyes: Dark
Comp: Dark
Clothing: Black Fedora hat, dark coat. Shabbily dressed and looked like a workman. Came into the store with two children, who looked neglected.

Party using the name of W. P. BEDFORT, alias W. P. Bedford, passed checks in the amounts of \$12.00 and \$15.00 on garage. Described as follows:

Age: 45
Height: 5-11
Weight: 160 to 165
Hair: Dark
Eyes: Dark
Comp: Fair
Clothing: Black felt (drooped front and back) hat, dark vest, very neat dresser.

Party using the name of S. F. BENNETT, alias B. Davis, passed check in the amount of \$35.20 on an automobile supply company. Bought tubes, receiving balance in cash. Described as follows:

Age: 35
Height: 5-7
Weight: 170
Comp: Dark
Clothing: Dark soft hat, light colored overcoat.

Any information on any of the above described persons will be greatly appreciated by

H. A. MURPHY- Police Inspector.

CHARLES H. KELLEY
Chief of Police

ROBERT H. GRAHAM

Alias George F. Rand, alias B. T. Scott, alias D. W. Hendricks, alias Lloyd Graham

On Forgery Charges to Officers of the Denver Police Department, Who Will Extradite from Any Place in the United States or Canada.

\$200 Reward

(See Forg. 6 - page 113 - #362)

This forger appeared in Denver, Colorado, April 27, 1925, and opened negotiations with a Grain Elevator Company to purchase a block of their stock. These negotiations continued until May 28, 1925, and during that time he represented he was purchasing a home in Denver. He had induced the people with whom he was dealing to introduce him to two Denver banks, and on May 28 he deposited with one of these banks a draft supposedly issued by the Security State Bank of Owatonna, Minn., and drawn on the Corn Exchange National Bank of Chicago in the amount of \$29,970.00. On the following day he induced this bank to certify his check drawn against the draft for \$4,000.00, which check he succeeded in cashing at the other bank in Denver where he was known. It later developed that the draft for \$29,970.00 had the signature of the cashier of the Security State Bank of Owatonna forged on it, although the draft form is the one used by the Security State Bank.

Graham stole these and other draft forms from the Free Press Company of Mankato, Minn., while making an appraisal of their plant in October, 1924, and the draft passed in Denver is numbered 9029, while the present numbered series of drafts issued by the Security State Bank is 49000.

Graham is described as 46 years, 5 feet 8 inches, 160 pounds, smooth shaven, thin face, high cheek bones, prominent nose, small mouth, thin lips, dark brown hair almost black, cut long and brushed straight back, slight wave. His voice is decidedly hollow, high tone, pleasant, soft, Southern accent—pronounces Des Moines as Day'M and Duluth as Dee'luth, accent invariably on the first syllable. He is further described as of nervous temperament, quick in movements, always ready to be on the move, and very courteous.

He is travelling with a woman described as 5 feet 4 inches, 100 pounds, dark brown eyes, straight thin nose, small mouth, talks extremely low, hardly opening her mouth, thin lips. Her hair is black, parted in the middle with rolls over each ear. Wears small narrow engraved wedding ring.

Hold and wire all information to William J. Candlish, Chief of Police, Denver, Colorado, who holds felony warrant, or Leonard De Lue's Detective Agency, 524 Gas & Electric Building, Denver, Colorado, Representing Colorado Bankers Association.

JUNE 5, 1925.

WANTED.

Santa Ana.

R. L. BARTON, on a felony warrant charging Fict. Checks, age: 27 to 30 years, hgt.: 5'5 1/2", wgt.: 175 lbs., build medium, hair lt. brown, eyes blue, med. compl. Wore when here, khaki shirt and pants, leather leggings and a light colored cap and pants, leather Put a number of small checks, alleged pay-checks on small Grocery Stores.

WALTER M. ADKINSON, on a felony warrant charging Fict. Checks, age: 28 yrs., hgt.: 5'7", wgt.: 140-145 lbs., hair reddish, med. medium, occupation Auto-Salesman, Wore when here dark gray suit, dark gray soft felt hat. Put over a number of small checks on garages and hotels.

Palmer WELSH, about 35 years old; height 5 ft. 7 inches; weight 165 lbs., dark hair, wears side burns; dark complexion; one arm has tattoo of the number of his company when he was in the army, may have other tattoos; occupation automobile painter. Claims at one time have been a drug addict but has been cured. When last seen wear a straw hat, light tan suit. *Wanted for Fict. Checks*

Driving a 1923 model Maxwell Coupe, License 436-789, Engine 23153, painted black with blue stripe around body.

Claims to have worked seven years for the Buick Automobile People he East. Was in the automobile painting business here, and before ring took with him a blowing machine used in painting automobiles mber of automobile paint brushes and a quantity of automobile it, which he will probably have with him.

The following described woman will probably be found with him: et Schaffer, alias Violet West, a drug addict, 28 years old, rather and slender, a blond.

Arrest, and hold. I hold felony warrant.
ular No. 763.

anted for Passing Fictitious Checks

Marion DAVIS, 22 years old; height 5 ft. 7 inches; weight 145 lbs., cular build, dark curly hair, brown eyes, irregular teeth, occupation ch foreman.

While in this county worked as a ranch foreman for the Sunseri ch Company, and claims to have worked for this company on their ches in other parts of the state.

Arrest and hold. I hold felony warrant.

Circular No. 764.

May 20th 1925.

WM. H. RIECKS, Sheriff.

Stockton, Calif.

WANTED FOR FORGERY. P. C. 470.

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H. SCHROTH @ H. STROTH @ P. SMITH @ PETER SMITH.

MR. G. C. KENYON, KENYON & CROFT PHARMACY REPORTS THE LOSS OF \$30.00 THRU CASHING FORGED CHECK. PRESENTED BY THE ABOVE PERSON, WHO IS DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

DESCRIPTION:

HEIGHT: 5-10
WEIGHT: 155
AGE: 35-40
BUILD: SLENDER
BEARD: SMOOTH
COMPLEXION: MEDIUM
DRESS: NEAT TRESHER.
EYES: VERY DARK.
HAIR: LONG WAVE AND MED. BRN.
TATTOOING: HAS TWO LARGE SCARS ON BACK OF NECK, LEFT BY RECENT ABSCESSSES.
HE IS A FAST TALLER AND RATHER NERVOUS.

MODUS OPERANDI:

CHEER-----FORGERY.
PERSON ATTACHED-----CLERK IN PHARMACY.
HOW ATTACHED-----PASSED FORGED CHECK.
MEANS OF ATTACK-----FORGED CHECK.
TITLE OF ATTACK-----JUNE 5, 1925.
OBJECT OF ATTACK-----MONEY.

TRADE MARK: H. SCHROTH @ H. STROTH @ P. SMITH @ PETER SMITH, made himself known to two local Drug Stores by passing several checks that were good, made out to him for janitor services by the American Maintenance Co., on the Bank of Italy, San Francisco, to pay for drugs prescribed by a local physician.

He then procured the blank checks on the Humbolt Savings Bank, San Francisco, used a photograph similar to the one used on the bona fide checks for the amount, and forged the signatures of the American Maintenance Co. on same. He then passed them at the same two Drug Stores where he had made himself known, for small amounts of drugs, prescribed by the same local physician.

Case #7756

False Alts - 6/11/25 -

H. A. ZINK
CHIEF OF POLICE

Pasadena, Cal. June 8, 1925.

Party using the name of HOWARD CROSSLAND, alias Charles Bussey, wanted for passing checks in the amounts of \$5.35 and. Described as follows:

Age: 24 to 25
Height: 5-10
Weight: 135
Hair: Light brown
Eyes: Blue
Comp: Light
Clothing: Dark suit, Fedora hat.

Party using the name of EDW. HAMILTON, alias J. J. Meskell, passed check for \$26.50. Described as follows:

Age: 36
Height: 5-9
Weight: 140 to 145
Hair: Med. Dark
Eyes: Blue ??
Comp: Medium
Clothing: Dark coat, hat, no vest, trousers

lighter than coat, light shirt with collar attached, roughly dressed rather good looking.

Party using the name of ROY HASSELBACK, passed check for \$50.00. Described as follows:

Age: 26
Height: 5-6
Weight: 140
Hair: Light (blond)
Eyes: Blue
Comp: Fair
Clothing: Wears hat, brown or blue suit.

Party using the name of P. J. MURPHY, alias P. J. Cramer wanted for passing checks in amounts up to \$10.00, described as follows:

Age: 25-30
Height: 5-6 to 8
Weight: 135-145
Comp: Light or dark ?
Clothing: Dark hat, dark or light suit.
An American, neat dresser, good talker.

Party using the name of A. E. STORRY or (A. E. S. Torrey) alias J. W. Stewart, wanted for passing check in the amount of \$20.00. Described as follows:

Age: 45
Height: 5-9 or 10
Weight: 160
Hair: Dark
Comp: Dark
Mks & Scrs: Some gold in teeth
Clothing: Working suit

CHARLES H. KELLEY-
Chief of Police

H. A. MURPHY, Police Inspector.

GEORGE W. CROSMON, German Jew, age 37 years, 5' 9" tall, weight

About 160, athletic type, very erect, always wears coat buttoned when on the street, small mustache, straight black hair, combed back, dark brown eyes, chin receding. nervous temperament, talks very fast eyes shifting when talking, he is a mechanical dentist, and has worked in San Francisco, Long Beach, Los Angeles, and Modesto.

This man is driving a Dodge Special Roadster, 1925 model, License

6634-809, engine #A-338372.

Printed for Dist. Checks.

I hold Felony warrant for this man, if located arrest, hold and wire my expense.

Circ. #62 - May 14, 1925. - Modesto Cal.

ANNIE TAYLOR, a sign painter by occupation, Age 22 years, height 5'8", weight 145 lbs; hair and eyes dark; medium complexion; is wanted badly by this Department on a felony warrant charging Forgery. Arrest and wire at our expense. What office

ARREST FOR EMBEZZLEMENT

WILLIAM R. JOHNSON or JOHNSON, wanted for automobile embezzlement and O. M. F. P.

Description: American, white, 24 years old, 5 ft. 11 in. dark brown hair, blue eyes, natty dresser, good looking, probably engaged in selling moth-proof preparation and demonstrating same. Supposed to be working the Pomona valley country. We hold Felony Warrant. Arrest and notify King, Hollywood Division.

Johnson stole and is supposed to be driving a Hertz sedan car, No. 28-702 (Lic.) Hub caps had letters "Y. C." on them.

Send R. R. Bull 9-19-25

Wanted!
Forgery &
Issuing Worth-
less Check



JAMES S. SULLIVAN

DESCRIPTION

Nationality: U. S.	Weight: 148 lbs
Color: White	Eyes: Brown
Age: 33 years	Hair: Black
Height: 5 feet 5 inches	Medium build; smooth face

I hold warrant for this defendant for issuing a worthless check for \$575. on a bank in this county.

Also wanted on the charge of forgery.

His occupation was a salesman for the Burns Electric Washer and also The Fyr-Fyter Co. of Dayton, Ohio. (a fire extinguisher company.)

Please look for this man particularly in washing machine agencies and fire extinguisher agencies.

If located, arrest, wire me and I will send officer with necessary papers.



LAWRENCE T. DORAN,

Chief of County Detectives,
Court House, Camden, N. J.

Wanted for Bad Checks

C. H. CASH—American age 36, ht. 6 ft., wt. 165, comp. dark, hair dark, eyes dark. Is a hop-head, works on doctors, claims to be suffering from kidney stone colic. Has scar over left kidney from recent operation. Cash put a check over on Dr. Wiley at Porterville, May 20, 1925.

Wanted for Fictitious Checks

MRS. DELLA ALEXANDER put over a \$250 check on the First National Bank of Exeter about April 28. She is rather good looking, age 22, eyes blue, hair light brown wt. 145, build stout, left corner of mouth drops slightly. Has little girl about two years old with her.

I hold felony warrants, arrest hold and wire at my expense.

R. L. HILL,

Sheriff Tulare County
Visalia, Calif.

Dated May 26, 1925.

ARREST, I HOLD FELONY WARRANTS, for the following named and described parties using the name of

RICHARD LAWRENCE and MRS. RICHARD LAWRENCE

Woman about 23 years of age
About 5 feet 2 inches
About 120 lbs.
Bobbed hair
Blue eyes

Men about 24 years of age
About 5 feet 10 inches
About 160 lbs
Chestnut hair
Blue eyes

RICHARD LAWRENCE rented a cottage from a Mrs. Perkins of 530 Dailey Ave. this city. Mrs. LAWRENCE tendering a check for \$44.00 drawn on Wells-Fargo Bank of San Francisco. Mrs. Perkins paid her \$20 in cash, rent being \$34.00; check was returned as "No account". They also cashed a \$35 check a grocery store, check drawn on some bank, also returned "No account". They are driving a Chevrolet touring car, Cal. License No. R 34-724, said license being registered to H.O. Harrison Co., 1200 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco. These people have with them a four year old girl.

If located, arrest, advise me and will send for them.

Case No. 5986 Bull. 480.

(Fridley & Blunt) June 3, 1925

J.S. YANCY,
Chief of Police,
Long Beach, Cal.

F.B. Kutz, Supt.,
Bureau of Records.

A. R. TULERS.

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Checks no funds
Described as follows: Age, 28 years; height, 5 feet 7 inches; weight, 150 pounds; eyes, blue gray; hair, light brown; complexion, medium. This man represents himself to be in the Grocery business, or Automobile Accessory business.

SAM E. TROMLEY.

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Described as follows: Age, 40 years; height, 5 feet, 6 inches; hair, dark brown; complexion, dark. This man is an expert accountant, and ran for Assembly at last Primary election this District.

We have a report that he was seen recently in Sacramento, and that he has relatives in Harvey, Illinois, with whom he may try to communicate.

DON K. SMITH.

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Described as follows: Age, 30 to 35 years; height, 5 feet 6 inches; weight, 140 pounds; eyes, light; hair, light; complexion, light. Formerly had offices at #234 Braley Building, Pasadena, Calif.; also #302 East Anaheim Road, Long Beach, California.

I hold Warrants for the above-named men. If located, arrest, and notify me at my expense.

Cancel Circular #47 - Subject apprehended.

San Diego - 6/3/25

JAMES C. BYERS, Sheriff.

Wanted for passing fictitious checks and Embazzlement:

WILLIAM ROBERT EMERY @ ALLAN ROBERT ROWLANDS.
Age 26, Height 5-11; Weight 160; Hair and Eyes Brown.

Embezzled Durant Sport, 5 passenger, 1924 model, Motor 121604; Factory C5005; Calif. license number not known. Has blue body; hood been repainted and slightly darker blue than body. Goodyear tires rear; Fisk tires front.

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If you should be successful in locating any of the above articles or William Robert Emery, kindly hold and wire,

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San Diego - 5636 - Los Angeles - 44365, etc.

J. M. KIRKLEY,

5/20/25
Reno, Nevada Chief of Police.

K. L. HILL,
Sheriff Tulare County
Visalia, Calif.

John Doe

1+2	Father & Son - Venice, Cal. - 3/13/35	108	347
3+4	Passing forged Govt. Check (Stealing auto - bile) - P. Thomas, 4/25/35	112	359
	Stolen Bonds of National Orange & How - Calif. Bank & Bldg. Co. 4/9/35	113	361
5	Forging checks Yuba City, Cal. - 5/27/35	115	380

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